Vancouver Schools Close Again As Blizzard Tangles Transport

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Strange Sub At Kodiak

KODIAK, Alaska (AP)—An unidentified submarine has been reported seen within half a mile of Kodiak, where the United States Navy has one of its far northern bases.

The navy immediately clamped on a secrecy ban and sent out planes to search the area. Results of the search were not announced.

Sighting of the submarine was reported Sunday by the five members of a Civil Aeronautics Administration crew. They said they were told by the navy to divulge no details. All were interviewed by high naval officers.

Navy winter exercises are being conducted in North Pacific waters, but official sources did not link the appearance of the submarine with the manoeuvres.

Bambi Saved From Freezing

Little deer says thanks to hunter Tom Bradley for "having a heart" when it collapsed from hunger and cold.

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New Restrictions Imposed By Reds On Berlin Trucks

BERLIN (UP) — Russian border guards imposed new restrictions on western truck traffic into Berlin today but removed restrictions on trains in a six-day-old on-again-off-again blockade.

Fur-capped Soviet troops made exhaustive inspections of documents, travel permits and identification papers of German truckers attempting to reach Berlin through the superhighway checkpoint at Helmstedt.

Each inspection took about 15 minutes, permitting only four trucks an hour to get through. Monday night there were 104 trucks lined up waiting to pass. By this morning the line-up was reduced to 80.

Other checkpoints on secondary routes into Berlin reported no delays. Truck traffc from Berlin to the west was reported being passed through the Helmstedt checkpoint with little or no delay.

The regular Berlin-Frankfurt U.S. army passenger train passed through the Soviet rail checkpoint at Marienborn without incident Monday night. Western officials said rail service was back to normal today.

The German Socialist Party in the western sectors scheduled eight evenings within the next 10 days, one in each borough of Russian-occupied Berlin, to protest the on-and-off blockade.

Communist sources said the meetings would be considered a "provocation."

Life In City Ends For Deer Saved By Hunters

By DAVE STOCK

After a couple of weeks of luxurious living in the city, a Shawnigan deer has returned to the woods to make a second try at living alone and liking it.

The first attempt wasn't any too successful. In fact, if it hadn't been for a kind-hearted hunter, the deer probably would not be alive today.

The animal—about six months old—was found a few Sundays ago by Tom Bradley, garage mechanic, and his friend, Charley Flood. The two were hunting cougar in the Eagle Heights area behind Shawnigan Lake.

FOUND LIFELESS FORM

They came across the deer lying in an almost lifeless state in a bank of snow. Its body was covered with ice and the animal looked half starved.

The hunters for a time considered shooting the deer to put it out of its misery. But they decided to see if they could revive it. Picking the animal up, they packed it to nearby Kapoor logging camp where they thawed it out in a loggers' bunkhouse.

The animal began to show signs of life at this point but was in too weak a condition to be turned out into the forest. Realizing further care was needed if the animal was to survive, the two hunters bundled up the deer and brought it with them on the front seat of their car when they returned to Victoria.

MAKES FRIEND OF DOG

At the Bradley home, 921 Green Street, the animal was bedded down near the basement furnace. Its roommate was the family dog, Teddy. At first, the two creatures regarded one another curiously. But after a day or two, they became quite friendly.

Cared for and fed by Tom, the deer began to take a new interest in life. On a diet of fir tree branches, potato peelings, apples and milk, the deer grew in strength.

The other day the deer was proclaimed well enough to return to its native habitat, and was turned over to the provincial game farm, Royal Oak.

REHABILITATION

After having lived within half a mile of Victoria's City Hall, the animal will probably take a little while to re-adapt itself to the ways of the forest.

It will probably miss the company of Tom Bradley's little niece, Gena Hall, who had many hours of pleasure with her fairyland pet.

Gena, too, will miss her friend Rudolph. Rudolph—that's what she named her companion. You think Rudolph is a funny name for a deer? Guess it is! Especially since Rudolph is a she.

Payroll Delivered By Brink's Stolen

BOSTON (UP)—Two bandits seized a $1,910 payroll in the ultra-exclusive Union Club today 25 minutes after it had been delivered by an armored truck of Brink's Inc., whose offices were held up last week by bandits who escaped with $1,500,000.

'Ice Cycles' Fly

VANCOUVER (BUP)—An airline is helping maintain the tradition that "the show must go on."

Trans-Canada Air Lines will fly ten tons of equipment belonging to the skating spectacle, "Ice Cycles," from Vancouver to Calgary today and tomorrow.

Because no trains are getting through the B.C. mountains, a DC13 cargo-liner will make three flights to the Alberta city with the performers' settings and costumes.

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New Chief Of State

DR. R. PRASAD

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Disciple Of Gandhi First President Republic Of India

NEW DELHI (AP)—Dr. Rajendra Prasad, 64-year-old disciple of the late Mohandas Gandhi, today was named first President of the Indian Republic by a cheering Constituent Assembly.

Prasad, who had served as President of the Constituent Assembly, will be installed at ceremonies Thursday when India formally drops her status as a Dominion and becomes a "Sovereign Democatic Republic."

Although India is thus renouncing any allegiance to the King, she will continue to remain a member of the Commonwealth under an elastic interpretation of Commonwealth association.

Prasad, picked as the choice of the dominant Congress Party, was the only candidate for president. No vote was taken in the Constituent Assembly, which cheered approval when he was declared elected unanimously.

Prasad was nominated by Premier Jawaharlal Nehru.

Nehru said the naming of the president closed one chapter of Indian history with a dream of independence realized, but a new chapter will open Thursday when the republic must work to realize other dreams.

500 U.S. Steel Workers Made Idle By Coal Strike

PITTSBURGH (AP)—The long tentacles of the coal strike stretched today into the steel industry of the United States and squeezed 500 workers out of jobs.

The continued walkout of 63,000 United Mine Workers members forced Crucible Steel Corporation to reduce operations at its Midland, Pa., plant.

Crucible laid off 500 and said the idle total may reach 1,000 by the end of the week if the coal shortage continues.

A General Motors spokesman said his firm has been notified by steel companies that they may have to shut down this week for lack of coal. He did not identify the steel companies.

Youngstown Sheet and Tube Company also made plans to cut back production at its works in Youngstown, O.

Die-hard miners in six states cling firmly to the U.M.W. tradition of "no contract, no work." They have turned deaf ears to the pleas of John L. Lewis and his field lieutenants to work without a contract.

Western Pennsylvania today led the strike parade with 33,500 of its 50,000 soft-coal diggers refusing to work.

Many U.M.W. locals during the week-end did vote to return to the pits, but pickets changed their minds for them.

Candidates In Britain Given Campaign Orders

LONDON (CP)—Labor candidates today received official campaign instructions from the party, as the Conservatives had Monday night—a night that saw the first outbreak of disorder in political meetings since the date Feb. 23 was announced for Britain's general election.

The government hopefuls, including its 390 members of the present 640-seat Commons, will meet in a Westminster building for talks by Prime Minister Attlee and Herbert Morrison, Deputy Prime Minister and campaign manager.

Candidates of Winston Churchill's Conservatives got a briefing Monday night from Richard A. Butler, M.P., who took the lead in framing the Conservatives' 1949 policy statement—"The Right Road for Britain."

Both parties will contest every seat in the new 625-seat Commons, reduced in size by a revision of electoral disfricts.

Butler told the Conservative candidates the points to emphasize from the party's 6,000-word manifesto, which will be published tomorrow, a week after that of the Labor Party.

The election disorder came in Glasgow, where first real blood in the campaign was drawn Monday night when Scottish "Home Rulers" clashed with Labor supporters at a Labor Party rally.

The battle lasted only 10 minutes, but produced enough bloody noses, black eyes and bruised ankles to indicate that Labor speakers may have a tough time in the next four weeks discussing the home rule question—which is not strictly an election issue.

Possible Van Horne Heiress Back Home

MONTREAL (CP) — Beverley Ann Van Horne, 17 year-old daughter of a wealthy Montreal family, was back home today after her headline-making trip across Canada.

Police located her last week in Vancouver, where it was said she had taken a dish-washing job in a cafe.

It was learned that the attractive girl, who may be in line to inherit the rich estate built by her great-grandfather, Sir William Van Horne, was spirited into Montreal Monday night after being taken off the Toronto train at Cornwall, Ont.

Say Priests Take Oath

PRAGUE (AP) — The Czech army newspaper Obranu Lidu says today "all attempts by the Vatican to prevent Czechoslovak Roman Catholic priests from taking the oath of allegiance (to the Communist government) have failed." An oath of allegiance is required before priests can receive their pay from the government.

Feared Selling Chair Would Be Difficult; Finds It Is Easy

It isn't everyone who would have any use for a barber's chair.

And Mrs. Hettie Crimp, 4034 Carey Road, realized this fact when she decided to sell such a chair she had in her possession. The chair was practically new and in excellent condition and would be, she knew, of life-long use to the right person.

But finding that person, Mrs. Crimp thought, might be a difficult matter and take a long time and much trouble.

How wrong she was. Only once did Mrs. Crimp have to advertise in the classified advertising section of the Victoria Daily Times and the chair was sold.

20 Inches Of Snow Winter's Heaviest Mercury 11 Above

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More Snow Leads City For All-Time Record

It seems almost certain Victoria will reach—if not pass—the record snowfall mark for the month of January.

Six inches of fresh snow fell in the city between 10.30 Monday morning and 4.30 this morning to boost the total fall so far this month to 27.6 inches. This is just 2.6 inches away from the all-time January record of 30.2 inches set in 1916.

The weatherman's prediction indicates this mark will be exceeded before the current month is out. He forecasts widely scattered snowflurries this afternoon and evening and all day Wednesday.

Vancouver apparently took the brunt of last night's storm, with Victoria running a close second.

Temperature here dropped steadily throughout the night and was down to a low of 14.4 at 8.30 today.

Wind, Frost Tonight

The weatherman predicts continued cold weather with a low tonight and high tomorrow of 15 and 25. He says the city can expect a wind from the northeast throughout the day, prevailing at a rate of 25 miles per hour.

Return of the cold weather brings with it many complications. Once again plumbers are being sought to repair and thaw frozen pipes.

Garage mechanics and service station attendants are busy applying chains to automobiles which only a few days ago they removed.

Postmen, milkmen, bakers and other delivery people are finding it difficult to keep to schedules. Buses once again are being called upon to handle near-capacity loads.

Although schools are open, many parents are keeping younger children at home.

Firemen are worried about the danger of fire and the possibility of having hydrants frozen.

On the Malahat and in the Cobble Hill-Shawnigan Lake district, about an inch of fresh snow fell Monday. A light flurry was reported again this morning.

Temperature at Shawnigan Lake at 8.30 this morning was 12 degrees but the mercury was on the rise.

Loggers Disappointed

Loggers in the district, laid off their jobs early in December, were hoping for a break in the weather this week and the reopening of logging camps. Sunday's fine weather prompted a spirit of optimism among them which turned sour with the return of more snow Monday.

Duncan had about an inch of snow Monday and two inches during the night. It was still snowing this morning. Temperature in the city centre at 2 this morning was 13 degrees.

All Duncan schools were open.

At Nanaimo, about an inch and a half of new snow was recorded Monday. This morning it was cloudy, cold and windy. Schools opened as usual.

Port Alberni had over three inches of snow Sunday night and Monday but there was no snow today. Skies over this area, in fact, were clear. Temperature was 21 at 9 this morning. Schools here are also open.

Courtenay had a fairly heavy fall of snow Monday morning but Monday afternoon and last night was clear and cold. Temperature in the Courtenay area this morning was 18 degrees at 9. Schools opened as usual this morning.

Santa Anita Scratches

First Race—Troy Chief, My Lode Star, Barrator, Addabet.

Second Race—Proudly, Mr. Bull, Royal Toddy, Fond Regards.

Third Race—Jenover.

Fifth Race—Next.

Eighth Race—Blenfair.

Weather clear; track fast.

Washington Told Alberta Has America's Biggest Oilfield

WASHINGTON (UP)—Canada may have discovered in Alberta the biggest oilfield ever found in North America, it was revealed today.

The find was reported to a House appropriations sub-committee by Interior Secretary Oscar L. Chapman at a recent hearing. His testimony was released today.

The matter came up during a private discussion of the nation's prospective oil supplies. Chapman said there have been some minor discoveries, but nothing "to keep pace with the demands of oil consumers."

Asked about foreign supplies, he said:

"There is a Canadian development of oil that you will hear more about a little later on that is very important. It has not been fully discussed in the press as yet, but they have made a very vital, important discovery of new oilfields.

"They do not know quite the extent of it yet. They are exploring it now.

"But the estimates by the geological people of the government of Canada indicated that it is probably the largest find they have ever had anywhere on this continent."

Fairground Scratches

First Race—Silver Sis, Burgoos Gal, Normrich, Bet Nebraska, Hypothesis, Quick Cash.

Second Race—Mitzi Helen, Comely Rhymer, Starlyne.

Third Round—Diemanners, Unki K, Chock Ablock.

Fourth Race — Donairs, Carter Girl, Fletter, Invercork.

Fifth Race—Battling Vixen, Arrow Rock, Pompagle.

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Boy Cyclist Hurt

One boy was injured and his companion escaped unhurt in an accident which occurred at seven this morning on the snow-covered roads at Tolmie Avenue and Quadra Street. It was the only accident injury case recorded on police records since the coming of the new snow.

Fifteen-year-old Allan Morley, 3621 Quadra Street, was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital by Saanich police. He is suffering from possible head and leg injuries.

Constables A. M. Green and John Burnett reported they took David Price, 14, of 1070 San Marino Avenue, to his home. He appeared to be unhurt.

The officer said the two boys were walking their bicycles north on Quadra when they were in collision with a milk truck driven in the same direction by William Knight, 2601 Penhryn Street.

Police of the area reported many accidents, but mostly of a minor nature due to skidding on the snow-covered road yesterday and last night. Damage in most cases was well under $100 to both vehicles involved.

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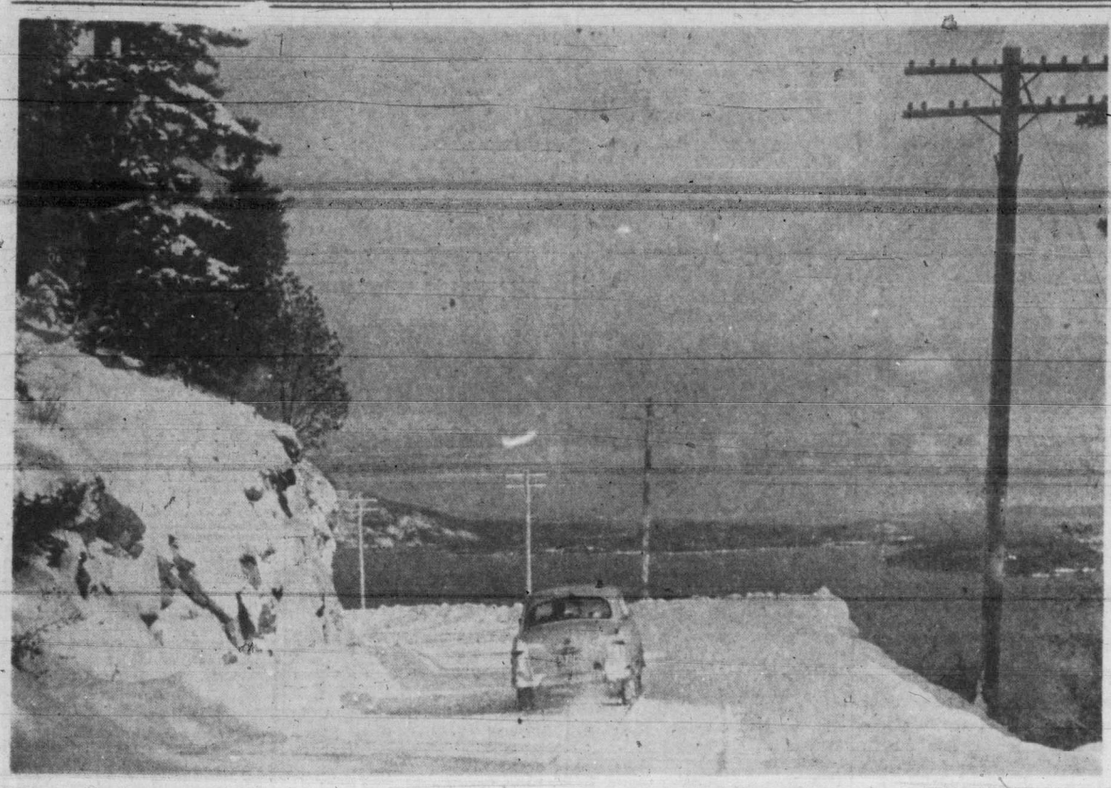

Malahat Sparkles In Fresh Snow Fall

It makes driving difficult but there is beauty in the new snow which returned to the island overnight. Times cameraman Bill Halkett shot this Malahat scene after snowplows had cleared the road.

Return Of Snow Brings Troubles For Victorians

No Parcels For East

The Victoria Post Office today was not accepting parcels for shipment east. A Post Office spokesman said any parcels put in rural and urban mail boxes would be held at the Post Office until such time as normal rail traffic resumes.

He expressed a hope people would co-operate with the Post Office and not mail parcels until such time as the weather changes.

There has been no incoming mail from east, other than first class mail, since last Friday, he reported.

(See "Trains Not Carrying," Page 3.)

Shortage Of Fuel Greatest Problem

Cold weather, bringing more than the customary grief and trouble, settled over Victoria and vicinity today.

After the month's heaviest single snowfall, citizens today found themselves in an even more precarious position than last week.

Coal bins and wood piles, which earlier in the month ran dangerously low, in many instances are now completely exhausted.

Fuel companies, two to three weeks behind in deliveries, once again are under siege from home owners, claiming to need service desperately.

Return of the cold weather is particularly hard on old people, especially those living alone. In many cases, their quarters are old and poorly insulated. Drafts penetrate windows and snow blows under doors.

Young and old find trouble getting about. Those who walk in the traveled section of the road find the footing treacherous. Those who choose to plow through the untrampled snow very often find themselves sinking deeper than they expected. The result is snow fills in shoe tops and ankles get wet.

COLDS PREVALENT

Colds, coughs and influenza are prevalent. Where homes are warmly heated, persons entering and leaving experience sudden temperature changes ranging as much as 60 degrees. Doctors say such temperature extremes come as a shock to people's systems, leaving them susceptible to such things as a cold.

The weather has been a crippling blow to most merchandisers. People are buying only essentials. Some businesses, however, have benefited from the unusual weather.

Plumbers are busier than ever, attending to frozen and broken pipes. Some admit they have more business than they can handle adequately.

Service stations and garages are being kept busy with motorists wanting to buy chains or have them applied to their cars. Autos left idle for any length of time develop mechanical troubles as a result of the cold which makes more work for the mechanics.

MORE SNOW PREDICTED

Chance that the weather will improve shortly is slight. The Dominion Meteorological Office in Vancouver predicts more snow and continued cold for Victoria today and Wednesday.

The U.S. Weather Bureau at Seattle, which makes long-range predictions, says the coast can expect below normal temperatures for the rest of the week.

The temperature in Victoria dropped between 9.30 and 10 this morning to a low of 13.9 degrees. By noon, the temperature had risen to 16.8.

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Four Men Questioned On Big Boston Hold-Up

BOSTON (UP) — Four men, one a locksmith, were held on suspicion today in connection with the $1,500,000 Brink's Inc. hold-up.

Two of the men, both with police records, were picked up in Stoughton, Mass., on the strength of one of many local tips. One of these suspects had been questioned about a year ago in connection with the slaying of Robert B. Holmes, an ex-convict.

A fourth suspect was seized here because one of the others reportedly had been driving an automobile registered in his name.

Police refused to give any inkling as to why the locksmith was arrested. However, in committing the hold-up the Brink's bandits had to pass through six locked doors.

Meanwhile, an unknown person connected with Brink's was linked by police to the $1,500,000 hold-up last Tuesday night, and to Boston's previous biggest hold-up—the $107,997 Sturtevant payroll job.

"We feel that someone connected with Brink's knows something about this job and also about the Sturtevant hold-up," said Massachusetts Attorney-General Francis E. Kelly.

Kelly referred to the hold-up staged Oct. 3, 1947, by six masked men at the B. F. Sturtevant Co. in Boston's Hyde Park section.

Police also planned to resume their search of the stable are of Suffolk Downs Race Track in east Boston after an anonymous telephone message in which the caller said the Brink's loot was hidden there.

Attorney-General Kelly said after conferring with Brink's officials that he believed the robbery "definitely" was an "inside job."

It was reported that police had gone to the state prison to question Samuel S. Granito, 41, of Brooklyn, N.Y., the only man convicted in the Sturtevant hold-up. He is serving a 16-to-20-year sentence for armed robbery.

"So far we have been received only with rebuffs," a detective said after questioning Granito.

The possibility of a connection between the Brink's robbery and that at the Sturtevant plant had been discussed before by police. They noted striking similarities in the two crimes—the facts that bandits in each case wore masks and had planned their work with precision timing.

Indonesians Say Dutch Aid Revolt In Western Java

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$100,000 Home Hope Of Welfare Society

A new $100,000 home is in prospect for the Family Welfare and Children's Aid Society of Greater Victoria which operates at present from an old house at 1234 Pandora Avenue.

It was learned reliably today a prominent Victoria-Vancouver family has offered to finance construction of the new quarters.

It is believed the new building would house offices of the Community Chest in addition to facilities for family welfare and children's work.

Negotiations are under way for a site.

It is understood location of the present home on the north side of Pandora between Chambers and Camosun Street is not considered suitable for a new building.

FAVORED SITE

Favored as the site is city property on Pandora Green below and west of the Christian Science Church which has a commanding view of the downtown area from Pandora Avenue and Chambers Street.

This property has been suggested for construction of a new City Hall.

Details of the $100,000 donation are expected to be announced shortly together with the name of the donors.

It is expected the city would sell property for the new welfare house at a nominal fee on the understanding it would not be used at any future date for other purposes.

Icy Highways In Ontario Cause Numerous Accidents

TORONTO (CP) — Sleet and rain struck southern Ontario on Monday night, turning highways into ice strips and causing one death.

Assistant Postmaster Samuel A. Morris of Kingston was struck and killed by a bus today while running to catch another bus. Police said the vehicle was unable to stop on the icy pavement.

In Toronto, 60 minor accidents, more than in any other 24-hour period this year, were blamed on the slippery roads. Nine persons were injured.

The storm extended from Windsor to the Kingston area as far north as Collingwood, on Georgian Bay. Sleet conditions are expected to continue till this evening.

Commuters reported a disruption of its power service caused by the sleet. Service was restored later.

Vancouver Man Slugged, Thief Escapes With $5,000

VANCOUVER (BUP)—Owner of a Vancouver cleaning firm was slugged and robbed of about $5,000 late this morning by a thug who hid in the back seat of the owner's car.

Emmerson W. Dell, 47, of Swan Brothers Ltd. cleaners, was hit on the head when he climbed into his car about 10.30 a.m. at Broadway and Woodland Drive. He fell out of the car, and staggered to a nearby house to call police. House owner Mrs. P. L. Watson said, "He was bleeding pretty badly around his head when he came in. As soon as we saw him we knew something had happened. He said he lost about $5,000."

Dell was rushed to General Hospital, where attendants report his lacerated scalp condition as "satisfactory." He was expected to be discharged later today.

Dell told Mrs. Watson he believed one man attacked him, stole the money, and fled in a car driven by a second man.

Minor Illnesses Up During Cold Weather

Coughs, colds and sore throats have increased in the city since the New Year as temperatures have, for the most part, remained below freezing and snow has covered the ground.

Doctors report they have been called to many more homes than usual, mostly for minor sicknesses which can be attributed to the relatively severe weather.

Sale of cough drops, cough syrup, nose drops, gargles and similar medicines have increased to a certain degree, but again specific figures are not available.

'Houdini' Took $3

BELLEVILLE, Ont. (CP)—A woman sitting in a parked car Monday temporary lost $3 when an aspiring young Houdini offered to show her his latest magical feat. Taking the $3 for demonstration purposes, he showed the trick and then walked off—with the $3. He was later arrested when the woman pointed him out to a policeman.

Island Roads Open Despite New Snow

Provincial Works Department officials reported today that all Vancouver Island main highways were open today despite overnight snowfalls.

The Forbidden Plateau apparently got the most snow of any place on the island. A foot fell there but the road was plowed out today.

On the mainland the Trans-Canada Highway is blocked in two places but engineers expect it will be opened today. The drifts blocking the highway are east of Yale and west of Savona. Otherwise the highway is clear across the province.

Some drifting was reported today in the neighborhood of Sumas Prairie in the Fraser Valley. Some drifting was also reported on the north side of the Fraser, but the highway is open to Agassiz and Harrison Hot Springs.

Automobile Club Protests Quality Of B.C. Gasoline

The Victoria Automobile Club has launched a protest against the quality of gasoline now being distributed in B.C.

The club has lodged its protest through Dr. W. A. Carrothers, chairman of the B.C. Coal and Petroleum Control Board.

In a letter to the board chairman, the club asks if it would be possible to have oil companies of B.C. improve the quality of their product.

The letter claims that quality of standard-grade gasoline sold in the U.S. is far superior to that sold here. The club contends the quality of gasoline sold and consumed in B.C. should be improved to at least the same standard as that of gasoline distributed prior to the war.

President of the automobile club here is Alderman Frank Mulliner. George I. Warren is managing secretary.

Blames Grounding Of U.S. Battleship On 'Misfortunes'

NORFOLK, Va. (AP)—The grounding of the battleship Missouri on a Chesapeake Bay mudbank is blamed by her commander on "a chain of unusual and unfortunate circumstances."

Capt. William D. Brown says, however, he cannot "go into detail."

"To do so would be to usurp the prerogative of the court of inquiry which has been appointed," he said in an interview in his cabin.

The captain said he was optimistic about seeing the ship in a different location after the next move is made to float her Feb. 2.

Brown emphasized that the Missouri, despite her helpless state, is comparatively undamaged.

U.S. Navy Chiefs Discount Report Sub Near Kodiak

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States Navy termed "improbable" today reports that an unidentified submarine had approached within a half mile of Kodiak, where the navy has one of its Alaskan bases.

Navy headquarters here made this evaluation after studying information from Rear-Admiral F. D. Wagner, commander of the 17th Naval District.

Planes from the Kodiak base searched the area without success after the sighting report had been made Sunday by five members of a Civil Aeronautics Administration crew.

Confirms Intention To 'Liberate' Tibet

LONDON (UP)—Gen. Chu Teh, Chinese Communist military commander, "confirmed the government's determination to liberate Tibet" at a recent meeting in Peiping, radio Moscow said Monday.

Quoting a Tass dispatch, Moscow said Teh's statement was made at a Jan. 18 meeting of "Tibetan democrats and representatives of the intelligentsia."

Baby Dies In Fire

SUDBURY, Ont. (CP)—Nine-month-old Gerald Smith burned to death Monday when fire razed a home in suburban Lockerby. Mrs. Gerald Smith and four-year-old Ronny escaped.

Northwest States To Get Five More Days Of Frigidity

SEATTLE (AP) — To death and taxes, U.S. Pacific Northwest residents today could add cold weather. They are going to have it with them for a while.

A five-day forecast issued by the U.S. Weather Bureau said both the east and west sides of Oregon and Washington would continue "below normal" temperatures through Saturday. "Much below normal" readings were foreseen for the northern half of eastern Washington and the Idaho panhandle.

(The bureau interpreted "below normal" as meaning subfreezing readings throughout much of the two-state area.)

Lone exception to the continued cold will come Thursday to portions of the two states west of the Cascades, the bureau said. A slight warming up, however, will be followed by more cold on Friday and Saturday.

More snow also was in the offing, with occasional light flurries predicted through Thursday, followed by general snow Friday and tapering off over the week-end.

The new cold wave struck through the northwest Monday, after a four-day respite. It brought more snow.

With its return, the toll of storm-caused deaths since the recent Friday the 13th blizzard soared to 21.

In Spokane, 20-year-old Burdette E. Elder was injured fatally when his car struck a truck which officers said was skidding on an icy highway.

Explosion Wrecks Grocery Store

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP)—A grocery store in southeast Portland was brown to bits today, apparently by a gas stove explosion, but no one was seriously hurt.

Those injured were Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mann and Mrs. Clara Emery, who lived in the rear of the one-story frame building. They suffered only superficial cuts.

George Livingston, driving by in a truck, said the building "just seemed to disintegrate."

500 U.S. Steel Workers Made Idle By Coal Strike

PITTSBURGH (AP)—The long tentacles of the coal strike stretched today into the steel industry of the United States and squeezed 500 workers out of jobs.

The continued walkout of 63,000 United Mine Workers members forced Crucible Steel Corporation to reduce operations at its Midland, Pa., plant.

Crucible laid off 500 and said the idle total may reach 1,000 by the end of the week if the coal shortage continues.

A General Motors spokesman said his firm has been notified by steel companies that they may have to shut down this week for lack of coal. He did not identify the steel companies.

Youngstown Sheet and Tube Company also made plans to cut back production at its works in Youngstown, O.

Die-hard miners in six states cling firmly to the U.M.W. tradition of "no contract, no work." They have turned deaf ears to the pleas of John L. Lewis and his field lieutenants to work without a contract.

Western Pennsylvania today led the strike parade with 33,500 of its 50,000 soft-coal diggers refusing to work.

Many U.M.W. locals during the week-end did vote to return to the pits, but pickets changed their minds for them.

Woman Buys Horse To Save His Life

SUNDERLAND, Eng. (Reuter)—Mrs. Wilhelmina Wills, 65-year-old office cleaner who keeps a swan, two ducks, two cats and a dog in her three-roomed home, has found a new pet—"Johnny," a city cart horse.

Mrs. Wills had seen Johnny for two years as he passed her office, and when he was condemned to death for old age she offered to buy him for $10 ($33), to save his life. The city agreed to a reprieve, but "hadn't the heart to take the money."

Feared Selling Chair Would Be Difficult; Finds It Is Easy

It isn't everyone who would have any use for a barber's chair.

And Mrs. Hettie Crimp, 4034 Carey Road, realized this fact when she decided to sell such a chair she had in her possession. The chair was practically new and in excellent condition and would be, she knew, of life-long use to the right person.

But finding that person, Mrs. Crimp thought, might be a difficult matter and take a long time and much trouble.

How wrong she was. Only once did Mrs. Crimp have to advertise in the classified advertising section of the Victoria Daily Times and the chair was sold.

Cold Endangers Pets

Dogs get cold, too, during freezing temperatures. The Victoria branch of the S.P.C.A. has come forward with a few suggestions for the care of animals during cold weather.

If your dog is the outdoor type and has a kennel, keep it free of drifted snow, keep the bedding dry. House dogs should not be left out for too long a period, especially if they enjoy the heat of the kitchen stove. A chill may result in pneumonia.

Cats should not be turned out at night unless they have buildings in which to shelter. Canaries should be moved away from windows which radiate cold and the cages covered well at night.

Bee Was The Trouble

Anything can happen in freezing weather.

D. W. McDonald has accepted that philosophical attitude on life ever since he fixed his electric switch in his Milton Street home, Oak Bay.

He heard a buzz when he turned on the switch to light up one of his rooms.

He thought it was a short.

He undid four screws and took off the panel.

He found the trouble.

A bee flew out and landed on his nose.

One Woman's Day

By NANCY HODGES

PHILOSOPHY AND SELF-RELIANCE

JUST IN CASE my recent column on queer people should lead my readers to suspect that I had developed a completely jaundiced view on life, I want to devote this to a couple of local philosophers whose attitude served to restore my faith in my fellow humans.

And, goodness knows, it takes some restoring at a time like this when all sorts of queer people seem bent on destroying faith; when successive events give rise to a suspicion that a concerted effort is being made to engender the universal conviction that everything decent is out-moded; when the Golden Rule is being obliterated by the newer creed of "Everyone for himself, and the Devil take the hindmost."

COLD BUT UNCOMPLAINING

THE WINTRY WEATHER not only sent its penetrating, icy fingers into people's marrows, it probed even deeper, bringing to light not only flaws in home construction but flaws in character construction as well. My experience was that the more people had in the way of creature comfort, the louder they railed against the elements—not that I liked the way the elements were behaving, at all.

But I was amazed—and made to feel very humble—in the face of the philosophical attitude of some of the old-age pensioners with whom I came in frequent contact during that trying period.

AGED INDEPENDENCE

ONE GRAND OLD LADY—and I use that word advisedly—of well over eighty, who lives alone, stuck to her attitude of sturdy independence despite the difficulties she faced—difficulties which would have floored many a young, able-bodied man or woman.

Not until every last scrap of her tiny hoard of coal had gone and she was frozen up in her little cottage did she venture to ask for help in getting a little fuel. And she wasn't asking for charity, either. Out of her meagre pension, she was ready to pay for her fuel. Not all at once, it's true, but her sturdy Scotch soul made her reiterate that she didn't owe a penny and she didn't intend to, what's more.

THOUGHT FOR OTHERS

FURTHERMORE, she wanted to be quite sure that, in getting "a wee bitty" coal she wouldn't be taking it away from "some ither puir body who might want it mair." As I reassured her on that point, I thought of a lot of people in comfortable circumstances to whom someone else's plight would be the very last consideration—and mused that the world would be a lot happier if more people were as unselfish as that octogenarian.

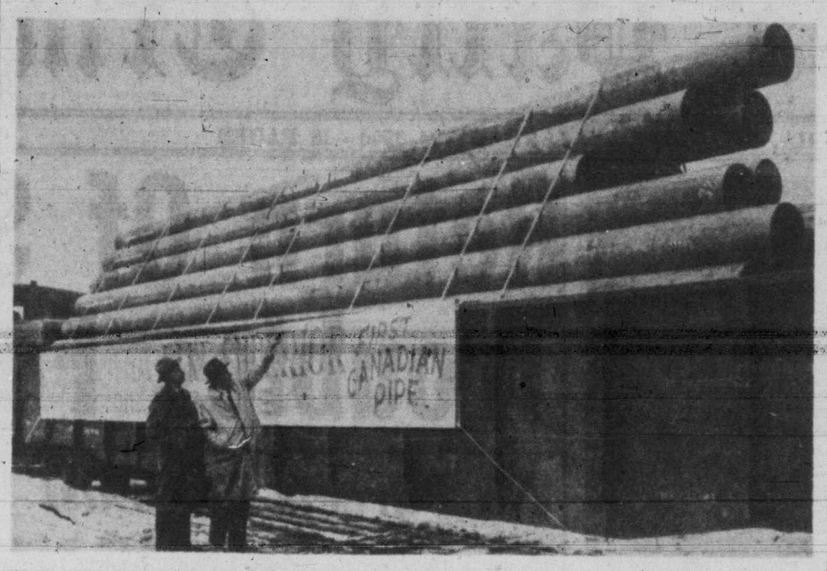
Equally refreshing, although of an entirely different character, was an elderly male philosopher who was amusingly frank in his views on his fellow humans. He is one of those rugged individualists who carves his own pattern of life and sticks to it, regardless.

JACK OF ALL TRADES

ALTHOUGH he, too, is getting on in years, he is scathingly scornful of "them people who want the government to keep 'em, givin' 'em handouts that I"—with loud emphasis on the "I"—"have to pay for. No government ever gave me no handouts. That's what's ruining this country. As long as I've got two strong hands and a strong back, nobody's goin' to subsidize me."

And I laughed out loud when, catching sight of a well-dressed civil servant walking down the street, he spat on his toil-calloused hands, rubbed them on his dungarees and, jerking his thumb in the other's direction, observed, with a twinkle: "Look at that there fellow. Thinks he knows it all, just because he's got a government job. Why, he can only do one job—me, I can do a dozen, and all of 'em well!"

What's more, I know he can. And as long as Canada can boast of sturdy, self-reliant citizens like those two elderly philosophers to give it a sound core, we needn't worry too much about the smattering of queer people who seemingly blemish its surface.



FIRST PIPE FOR NEW OIL LINE—A start will shortly be made on construction of the 1,150-mile oil pipeline from Edmonton to Lake Superior. This week a shipment of pipe, 16 inches in diameter, left Welland, Ont., for the prairies. It is consigned to the Interprovincial Pipe Line Co. and was constructed at a special plant of Page-Hersey Tubes. Formerly pipe of this size had to be imported.

Fire Underwriters Refuse To Cut Esquimalt Rates

There is no chance fire insurance rates in Esquimalt will be lowered.

Formal notice of this was served Esquimalt Council at a meeting Monday night in a letter from the B.C. Underwriters' Associations.

The association, which sets insurance rate throughout the provnice, said in its letter that although the municipality recently improved its fire department, increased population makes it impossible to reduce fire protection rates.

The letter stated that only if the municipality employed 25 additional firemen and added another truck to its present equipment could a rate reduction be even considered.

"And that," exclaimed Councillor G. R. Guillemaud, chairman of the council's fire committee, "would cost us $30,000 a year extra."

PRESENT DEPARTMENT INADEQUATE

The underwriters' association labeled present complement of the joint police-fire department as inadequate. It also contended it was unfair to expect a man to be a policeman one minute and a fireman the next.

"No matter how good a man may be, he can only be in one place at one time," the letter observed.

Councillor Guillemaud was quick to defend the present department. He said annual fire loss in Esquimalt was as low as anywhere.

BRIGADE OF VOLUNTEERS

As a suggestion to the municipal council, the underwriters proposed a volunteer fire brigade, consisting of some 12 to 16 members. This volunteer brigade could be called out to assist regular firemen in time of emergency.

The volunteers could be paid a small retaining fee and so much per call.

Staggering Tax Exemptions Create Abnormal Situation

The homeowner and store proprietor will again carry a tax load in Esquimalt this year, made heavy by Crown exemptions.

Once again the municipal council finds itself in the position where for every $1 worth of taxable assessment there is $2 worth of land and property exempt from taxes.

In determining the Esquimalt mill rate this year, the council will have to consider $3,474,163 as the taxable assessment.

This figure was put to council at a meeting Monday night by E. Fulcher, municipal assessor.

Mr. Fulcher explained total value of taxable land in the municipality this year is $1,375,706. Total value of taxable improvements is $4,196,914.

(Total assessment is computed by taking the full land assessment together with 50 per cent of the improvement assessment.)

The assessor pointed out there is land valued at $811,970 on which the council will not be able to charge taxes, and improvements worth $10,276,010 which similarly will be exempt from tax.

CROWN EXEMPTIONS HEAVY

As in previous years, Crown holdings account for the biggest part of tax exemptions. Crown land is assessed at $529,385. Crown improvements are said to be worth $9,749,380.

Indirectly, through its wartime housing scheme, the federal government is exempt another $47,675 on land and another $338,500 on improvements.

School exemptions total $156,980. School land is assessed at $11,300 and improvements are valued at $145,680.

Churches within the municipality account for an exemption of $27,500. Value of church property is $4,700. Church buildings are assessed at $22,800.

FEDERAL GRANT

This year, for the firset time, the municipality stands to receive a federal government grant to compensate in some way for the taxes it loses as a result of the Crown's holdings. A grant of some sort has been definitely promised. Just how big a grant will be made has not yet been revealed.

Apart from the promised grant, the municipality this year stands in a better position than it did at this time last year.

Total taxable assessment in 1949 was $3,262,329. This year's total taxable assessment is, therefore, $211,834 higher.

Last year's mill rate was 45 mills.

Reeve On Water Board

Reeve A. I. Thomas at a meeting of the Esquimalt Council Monday night was again named to represent the municipality on the Greater Victoria Water Board.

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No Workmen's Compensation For Frostbite In This Province

OTTAWA (CP) — There's a little bit of irony in British Columbia's workmen's compensation laws.

The west coast province—where blizzards and snowstorms this year have dulled a reputation as a winter paradise—is the only one which pays compensation for illness suffered on the job as a result of excess heat. But, unlike four other provinces, it doesn't pay for frostbite.

MAKES COMPARISONS

This fact is contained in a portly document issued Monday by the federal labor department. Entitled "Workmen's Compensation in Canada—A Comparison of Provincial Laws," the 40-page pamphlet gives Canadians the facts and figures on various provincial acts.

It notes that Newfoundland, Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island and Saskatchewan pay compensation for frostbite suffered at work. B.C. alone pays for "heat exhaustion."

The various acts differ widely in every respect. New Brunswick, for example, is the only province listed as paying compensation for infection suffered from sugar handling.

Ontario provides flexibility in the act by including any disease peculiar to an industrial process or occupation.

Carbon monoxide poisoning can be compensated in B.C., Newfoundland, New Brunswick, Ontario, Quebec and Saskatchewan.

Virtually every province provides compensation for silicosis, a lung disease cause by constant exposure to silica dust, but Quebec is the only one covering silicosis suffered in making pottery.

All provinces now have a law providing compensation for industrial accidents, although Newfoundland differs from the other provinces in that it makes employers individually liable for injuries to their workmen occurring during the course of employment. In the other provinces, the statute is of the collective-liability type.

During the year provision was made for increased compensation in Saskatchewan for total disability. Payment is 75 per cent of earnings, with the minimum at $15 a week.

The booklet is available on request from the Department of Labor.

157 Employees Of Stores Fined

VANCOUVER (CP) — One hundred and fifty-seven store representatives, charged with breaking the Wednesday all-day closing by-law, were fined $10 each Monday. All pleaded guilty.

Charges in 56 other cases, including nine Hudson's Bay Company department managers, were remanded until next Monday.

The merchants defied the city closing by-law Dec. 21 to provide Christmas shoppers with an extra day of buying.

Plans Weekly Tour

In order to find out for himself what work is needed in Esquimalt, Councillor A. C. Wurtele, new chairman of the council's public works committee, will spend one afternoon a week touring the municipality with works superintendent Ed. Fulcher.

The councillor announced his intention at a meeting of the council Monday night.

Suggests Property Be Reserved As Swimming Pool Site

Recommendation that Esquimalt Council reserve property on the south side of the Lampson and Munro intersection for future development as a children's swimming pool was made Monday night by A. S. Bevan, 1101 Wychbury Avenue.

Mr. Bevan appeared at a meeting of the council to check on rumor he had heard that council was in the process of selling some of the property in the area. He said if what he had heard was true, he intended to launch a vigorous protest.

He pointed out the property in question, was a natural place for a swimming pool. He said he hoped council would have the foresight to see its development for such purpose.

Reeve A. I. Thomas assured Mr. Bevan the property was not being sold and that council had already given thought to a possible use for it.

To Take Action To Avert Flooding

As soon as weather allows, a new and larger drain will be installed at the corner of Carlisle and Fraser Streets to avert any further danger of flooding in the area, Reeve A. I. Thomas announced at a meeting of the Esquimalt Council Monday night.

The reeve's statement came in answer to a request for some attention to the flood situation from three residents of Carlisle. The residents who complained were H. Thurgood, A. E. Wise and J. McGrath.

Esquimalt To Pay $279 Toward Upkeep Of Detention Home

Esquimalt's share of maintaining the Greater Victoria Juvenile Detention Home on Coldharbor Road will be $279.65 this year, Councillor W. H. Dallaway reported to the municipal council Monday night.

Victoria, Oak Bay and Saanich will each contribute proportionately to make up the rest of the home's 1950 operating expense.

Esquimalt's share in 1949 was $240.58.

Reeve A. I. Thomas said money to maintain the home was well spent. He said the home had proved itself to be a worthwhile institution.

Councillor Dallaway was named at the meeting to represent Esquimalt on the home's directorate for the remainder of the year.

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What Price Glory?

LONG BEACH (AP)—Biddy, a New Hampshire red hen, was a specialist. She didn't lay often, but when she did the eggs were whoppers.

Owner Ralph E. Martin said Biddy produced only two eggs a week for the last year, but they were always twice normal size.

Saturday Biddy outdid herself. She laid an egg that would have made an ostrich proud. Martin said it measured 9¼ to 3¼ inches around and weighed nearly seven ounces.

But as Martin marveled over the mammoth hen fruit, his joy was cut short. Biddy gave a feeble cluck, rolled over and died.

Rev. E. D. Braden Dies In Vancouver

VANCOUVER (CP) — Rev. E. D. Braden, 66, for 26 years pastor of the Ryerson United Church, died Monday in a hospital here. He had been ill for several weeks.

Born in Toronto, he came to British Columbia at the age of three, and in the early days before entering the ministry, cleared land for farming and worked in the mines and forests.

He is survived by a son, Bernard Braden, of the radio and stage, who flew home from London, Eng., to be at the bedside of his father. Mrs. Braden died two years ago.

Cardy Considering Sale Of Hotel Chain

TORONTO (CP)—Vernon G. Cardy, 60, hotel man and horse-lover, announced Monday he is considering sale of his hotel chain, which includes Montreal's big Mount Royal Hotel.

After 35 years in the hotel business, he is looking forward to retirement, he said at the annual meeting of the Cardy Corporation Limited, of which he is president.

"During recent weeks several offers have been made to me, some of which were worthy of serious consideration.

"You will understand that, after 35 years in the hotel business, a time must necessarily come when I shall look forward to a well-deserved rest."

The Cardy chain: Mount Royal Hotel, Montreal, 1,100 rooms; King Edward Hotel, Toronto, 1,000; Royal Connaught Hotel, Hamilton, 400; Prince Edward Hotel, Windsor, Ont., 300; Alpine Inn and cottages at Ste. Marguerite Station, Que., accommodation for 200 guests.

The Cardy Corporation sold Bigwin Inn, a summer resort in Ontario's Muskoka district, about a year ago after a brief tenure.

HALF-CENTURY HIGHLIGHTS

'HIT THE SAWDUST TRAIL,' shouted Rev. Billy Sunday, evangelist extraordinary, when the 20th century was in its 'teens. And during his 35 years of preaching, more than 1,000,000 persons ran—shouting, weeping, moaning—down the sawdust trail to be converted. Sunday, once a big league baseball player, preached the "old-time," hell-fire-and-brimstone religion. The devil, he'd shout, has horns, hoofs and a tail. Sunday spent much time on the platform shadow-boxing with Satan. His revivals had the atmosphere of a circus. His sawdust trail was real—a wide, sawdusted aisle through the audience to his platform. Money donations toward his "good works" ran into tremendous sums. He died in 1935 at the age of 72.

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Bambi Saved From Freezing

Little deer says thanks to hunter Tom Bradley for "having a heart" when it collapsed from hunger and cold.

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Life In City Ends For Deer Saved By Hunters

By DAVE STOCK

After a couple of weeks of luxurious living in the city, a Shawnigan deer has returned to the woods to make a second try at living alone and liking it.

The first attempt wasn't any too successful. In fact, if it hadn't been for a kind-hearted hunter, the deer probably would not be alive today.

The animal—about six months old—was found a few Sun days ago by Tom Bradley, garage mechanic, and his friend, Charley Flood. The two were hunting cougar in the Eagle Heights area behind Shawnigan Lake.

FOUND LIFELESS FORM

They came across the deer lying in an almost lifeless state in a bank of snow. Its body was covered with ice and the animal looked half starved.

The hunters for a time considered shooting the deer to put it out of its misery. But they decided to see if they could revive it. Picking the animal up, they packed it to nearby Kapoor logging camp where they thawed it out in a loggers' bunkhouse.

The animal began to show signs of life at this point but was in too weak a condition to be turned out into the forest. Realizing further care was needed if the animal was to survive, the two hunters bundled up the deer and brought it with them on the front seat of their car when they returned to Victoria.

MAKES FRIEND OF DOG

At the Bradley home, 921 Green Street, the animal was bedded down near the basement furnace. Its roommate was the family dog, Teddy. At first, the two creatures regarded one another curiously. But after a day or two, they became quite friendly.

Cared for and fed by Tom, the deer began to take a new interest in life. On a diet of fir tree branches, potato peelings, apples and milk, the deer grew in strength.

The other day the deer was proclaimed well enough to return to its native habitat, and was turned over to the provincial game farm, Royal Oak.

REHABILITATION

After having lived within half a mile of Victoria's City Hall, the animal will probably take a little while to re-adapt itself to the ways of the forest.

It will probably miss the company of Tom Bradley's little niece, Gena Hall, who had many hours of pleasure with her fairy-land pet.

Gena, too, will miss her friend Rudolph. Rudolph—that's what she named her companion. You think Rudolph is a funny name for a deer? Guess it is! Especially since Rudolph is a she.

Annual meeting and election of officers of the Victoria branch of the Navy League of Canada will be held Feb. 13, it was announced today.

New Restrictions Imposed By Reds On Berlin Trucks

BERLIN (UP) — Russian border guards imposed new restrictions on western truck traffic into Berlin today but removed restrictions on trains in a six-day-old, on-again-off-again blockade.

Fur-capped Soviet troops made exhaustive inspections of documents, travel permits and identification papers of German truckers attempting to reach Berlin through the superhighway checkpoint at Helmstedt.

Each inspection took about 15 minutes, permitting only four trucks an hour to get through. Monday night there were 104 trucks lined up waiting to pass. By this morning the line-up was reduced to 80.

Other checkpoints on secondary routes into Berlin reported no delays. Truck traffc from Berlin to the west was reported being passed through the Helmstedt checkpoint with little or no delay.

The regular Berlin-Frankfurt U.S. army passenger train passed through the Soviet rail checkpoint at Marienborn without incident Monday night. Western officials said rail service was back to normal today.

The German Socialist Party in the western sectors scheduled eight evenings within the next 10 days, one in each borough of Russian-occupied Berlin, to protest the on-and-off blockade.

Communist sources said the meetings would be considered a "provocation."

A fine of $35 was imposed against John Waselenchuk, 3438 Salsbury Road, when he pleaded guilty in city police court today to a charge of driving while his license was under suspension.

Boy Cyclist Hurt

One boy was injured and his companion escaped unhurt in an accident which occurred at seven this morning on the snow-covered roads at Tolmie Avenue and Quadra Street. It was the only accident injury case recorded on police records since the coming of the new snow.

Fifteen-year-old Allan Morley, 3621 Quadra Street, was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital by Saanich police. He is suffering from possible head and leg injuries.

Constables A. M. Green and John Burnett reported they took David Price, 14, of 1070 San Marino Avenue, to his home. He appeared to be unhurt.

The officer said the two boys were walking their bicycles north on Quadra when they were in collision with a milk truck driven in the same direction by William Knight, 2601 Penhryn Street.

Police of the area reported many accidents, but mostly of a minor nature due to skidding on the snow-covered road yesterday and last night. Damage in most cases was well under $100 to both vehicles involved.

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Fuel Headaches Return As Stocks Continue To Dwindle

Fuel dealers who started putting away aspirin bottles Monday took them out of the medicine cabinets again today as headaches of trying to meet orders began to recur.

The two-day thaw during the week-end had made many citizens with near-empty fuel bins breathe more easily, but chilled homes during the night resulted in dealers' telephones and counters being active all day.

With coal shipments from Alberta still held up in transit, supplies in local yards are nearly exhausted.

Sawdust continues to be virtually unobtainable, but mills are operating and should prevent a worsening of the situation.

LOADING DIFFICULTY

There is some wood being delivered, but loading onto trucks in some yards is hampered because the piles are covered with snow.

As has been the case for almost two weeks, delivery of fuel which is on hand is slowed by slippery roads and snow-covered driveways.

A wood dealer said handling o forders was being slowed down by people telling all their troubles over the telephone while others tried to get on the line and still more citizens crowded the office counter.

A sawdust firm which received two carloads from up-island during the week-end has given strict orders to drivers to deliver only to bins which were absolutely empty. Not a sack was to be dumped where there was some on hand.

FEW CANCELLATIONS

When temperatures eased four days ago, a few cancellations of orders were received, but most of these are being replaced.

All firms continue to have a backlog of orders, some only of a day or two, but none would predict when they would catch up.

City Near Record Mark For January Snowfall

It seems almost certain Victoria will reach, if not pass, the record snowfall mark for the month of January.

Six inches of snow fell in the city between 10.30 Monday morning and 4.30 this morning to boost the total fall so far this month to 27.6 inches. This is just 2.6 inches away from the all-time January record of 30.2 inches set in 1916.

More snow is forecast.

Victoria apparently bore the brunt of Monday night's storm. Here's what happened up-island:

On the Malahat and in the Cobble Hill-Shawnigan Lake district, about an inch of fresh snow fell Monday. A light flurry was reported again this morning.

Temperature at Shawnigan Lake at 8.30 this morning was 12 degrees but the mercury was on the rise.

LOGGERS DISAPPOINTED

Loggers in the district, laid off their jobs early in December, were hoping for a break in the weather this week and the re-opening of logging camps. Sunday's fine weather prompted a spirit of optimism among them which turned sour with the return of more snow Monday.

Duncan had about an inch of snow Monday and two inches during the night. It was still snowing this morning. Temperature in the city centre at 2 this morning was 13 degrees.

All Duncan schools were open

INCH AT NANAIMO

At Nanaimo, about an inch and a half of new snow was recorded Monday. This morning it was cloudy, cold and windy. Schools opened as usual.

Port Alberni had over three inches of snow Sunday night and Monday but there was no snow today. Skies over this area, in fact, were clear. Temperature was 21 at 9 this morning. Schools here are also open.

Courtenay had a fairly heavy fall of snow Monday morning but Monday afternoon and last night was clear and cold. Temperature in the Courtenay area this morning was 18 degrees at 9. Schools opened as usual this morning.

Candidates In Britain Given Campaign Orders

LONDON (CP)—Labor candidates today received official campaign instructions from the party, as the Conservatives had Monday night—a night that saw the first outbreak of disorder in political meetings since the date—Feb. 23—was announced for Britain's general election.

The government hopefuls, including its 390 members of the present 640-seat Commons, will meet in a Westminster building for talks by Prime Minister Attlee and Herbert Morrison, Deputy Prime Minister and campaign manager.

Candidates of Winston Churchill's Conservatives got a briefing Monday night from Richard A. Butler, M.P., who took the lead in framing the Conservatives' 1949 policy statement—"The Right Road for Britain."

Both parties will contest every seat in the new 625-seat Commons, reduced in size by a revision of electoral districts.

Butler told the Conservative candidates the points to emphasize from the party's 6,000-word manifesto, which will be published tomorrow, a week after that of the Labor Party.

The election disorder came in Glasgow, where first real blood in the campaign was drawn Monday night when Scottish "Home Rulers" clashed with Labor supporters at a Labor Party rally.

The battle lasted only 10 minutes, but produced enough bloody noses, black eyes and bruised ankles to indicate that Labor speakers may have a tough time in the next four weeks discussing the home rule question—which is not strictly an election issue.

Trains Not Carrying Parcels By Mail West Of Kamloops

OTTAWA (CP) — The post office department today clamped a ban on mailing of parcels, news and printed matter to points west of Kamloops and Penticton, B.C., because of heavy snow and blizzards in the mountains.

The department said letters to those areas would be sent by air-mail wherever possible.

Service to points on the Canadian National Railways main line between Edmonton and Prince Rupert is not affected.

The ban applies to points west of Kamloops on the main lines of the C.N.R. and the Canadian Pacific Railway and west of Penticton on the C.P.R. line between Nelson, B.C., and Vancouver. Service on those lines has been disrupted by heavy snow in the mountain passes.

"Aside from letter mail and mail prepaid at air mail rates, the only exceptions to the restrictions imposed will be parcels on bona fide medicines, serums and other vital medical items," the department said. ". . . Full postal service will be restored as soon as possible."

Jacoby Canasta Champ, He Claims

NEW YORK (UP) — Oswald Jacoby claimed the canasta championship of the United States today after defeating his only challengers by a score of 5,600 points.

Jacoby, of Dallas, Tex., and his partner, John R. Crawford of Philadelphia, Pa., outplayed Sam Fry Jr., and Theodore Lightner, both of New York, in an 11-session match at the Hotel Chatham this week.

Say Chinese Reds Enter Indo-China

TAIPEI, Formosa (UP)—Nationalist reports said today troops have crossed the border into Indo-China and are co-operating with Communist forces there.

These reports, distributed by the Nationalist Central news agency and the Central China Command headquarters, said the joint Communist forces are considering armed action against some 30,000 Nationalist troops who fled China and took refuge in Indo-China.

New Chief Of State

DR. R. PRASAD

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Disciple Of Gandhi First President Republic Of India

NEW DELHI (AP)—Dr. Rajendra Prasad, 64-year-old disciple of the late Mohandas Gandhi, today was named first President of the Indian Republic by a cheering Constituent Assembly.

Prasad, who had served as President of the Constituent Assembly, will be installed at ceremonies Thursday when India formally drops her status as a Dominion and becomes a "Sovereign Democatic Republic."

Although India is thus renouncing any allegiance to the King, she will continue to remain a member of the Commonwealth under an elastic interpretation of Commonwealth association.

Prasad, picked as the choice of the dominant Congress Party, was the only candidate for president. No vote was taken in the Constituent Assembly, which cheered approval when he was declared elected unanimously.

Prasad was nominated by Premier Jawaharlal Nehru.

Nehru said the naming of the president closed one chapter of Indian history with a dream of independence realized, but a new chapter will open Thursday when the republic must work to realize other dreams.

Prices Support For Farmers Soon Before Commons

OTTAWA (CP)—Legislation placing Canada's price-support program for agricultural products on a permanent peacetime footing will be sought by the government at the next session of Parliament, it was learned today. The session is set to open Feb. 16.

The Agricultural Prices Support Act now is linked with emergency transitional measures to permit an orderly transition from war to peace. The legislation must be renewed from year to year. The act will expire March 31 unless extended by Parliament.

Need for a more permanent price-support structure would appear to stem from these two factors:

1. With future United Kingdom purchases of food in Canada still questionable, the farm industry is showing growing signs of lack of stabilization.

2. The question of falling farm prices appears to be more than just a temporary phase. Consequently, federal government funds to bolster farm prices artificially may be required in 1951 and the years ahead.

The cabinet is understood to be considering how the permanent price-support structure should be planned. It is believed to be considering whether merely to amend the act, eliminating phrases which refer to the transitional period, or whether to scrap the act entirely and bring in new legislation.

Items now support include cheese and bacon. The question of whether to issue price support for eggs still is under cabinet consideration.

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	Min.	Max.	Precip.
St. Johns	13	31	.09
Halifax	20	29	.20
Montreal	3	26	.07
Toronto	22	35	.13
North Bay	—3	16	.02
Port Arthur	—20	3	.07
Kenora	—10	—5	.01
Winnipeg	—10	—3	.55
Brandon	—21	—14	.28
The Pas	—29	—26	.11
Regina	—27	—10	.09
Saskatoon	—25	—19	.27
Prince Albert	—25	—19	.27
North Battleford	—25	—20	.14
Swift Current	—33	—10	.22
Medicine Hat	—20	—12	.20
Lethbridge	—26	—21	.14
Calgary	—35	—20	.05
Edmonton	—30	—24	.08
Kamloops	—21	8	
Penticton	—4	27	.04
Vancouver	10	34	.21
Victoria	15	37	.60
Kimberley	—6	12	.44
Crescent Valley	—	37	.11
Prince Rupert	3	16	
Prince George	—5	9	
Seattle	24	36	.02
Portland	26	42	.07
Chicago	33	36	.30
San Francisco	44	54	.03
Los Angeles	48	68	
New York	42	54	
Spokane	10	33	.11
Whitehorse	—11	—10	.05
New Westminster	9	21	

Washington Told Alberta Has America's Biggest Oilfield

WASHINGTON (UP)—Canada may have discovered in Alberta the biggest oilfield ever found in North America, it was revealed today.

The find was reported to a House appropriations sub-committee by Interior Secretary Oscar L. Chapman at a recent hearing. His testimony was released today.

The matter came up during a private discussion of the nation's prospective oil supplies. Chapman said there have been some minor discoveries, but nothing "to keep pace with the demands of oil consumers."

Asked about foreign supplies, he said:

"There is a Canadian development of oil that you will hear more about a little later on that is very important. It has not been fully discussed in the press as yet, but they have made a very vital, important discovery of new oilfields.

"They do not know quite the extent of it yet. They are exploring it now.

"But the estimates by the geological people of the government of Canada indicated that it is probably the largest find they have ever had anywhere on this continent."

Say Priests Take Oath

PRAGUE (AP) — The Czech army newspaper Obranu Lidu says today "all attempts by the Vatican to prevent Czechoslovak Roman Catholic priests from taking the oath of allegiance (to the Communist government) have failed." An oath of allegiance is required before priests can receive their pay from the government.

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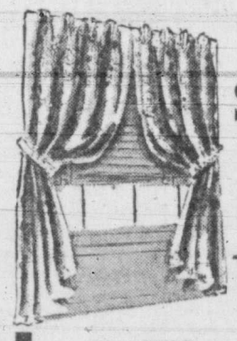

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An Old Refrain Repeated

WE ARE TOLD BY ONE WRITER NOT especially noted for his accurate reading of history's lessons that if Canadians start with themselves and "build on the solid rock of democracy," they "need never bother about Russia." The origin of this thesis resides in a declaration that "the biggest news that has come out of Washington in many moons is that Mr. X has been given 'extended leave of absence' by the State Department."

How in the name of fortune the "extended leave of absence" granted to Mr. George Kennan—the Mr. X. to whom Mr. Walter Lippmann referred in his "The Cold War"—can be considered the "biggest" news from Washington "in many moons" will doubtless puzzle many meticulous students of international trends. But the theme is worth more than cursory examination. For example, the authority we have quoted decries Kennan's argument in favor of "a firm containment designed to confront the Russians with unalterable counter-force at every point where they show signs of encroachment upon the interests of a peaceful and stable world." We read further: "But many of us tried to warn our western leaders when the Kennan doctrine was adopted that it would have the disastrous consequences that it did have." The answer to this postulate does not appear—save in the implication that if Canada and Canadians would leave Russia alone, and encourage our dear, kind friends who worship at the shrine of Leninism and swallow the outpourings of such Stalinist mouthpieces as Pravda and Izvestia, all would be well with the world.

On that March day in 1936 when Hitler's troops crossed over from the right bank of the Rhine to the demilitarized section of the Reich we predicted "some of the things to come." Many of our readers will recall our repeated warnings of the progress of events—the Anschluss, Munich, the rape of Czechoslovakia and, finally, the Great Betrayal. And what happened to the appeals of Chamberlain, Daladier, and Roosevelt to the new Teutonic megalomaniac? He laughed at the "effete democracies" and went his own sweet way. Apropos of this bit of history, incidentally, is one passage in Dr. D. R. Davies' latest book, "Thirty Minutes to Raise the Dead." This is it:

"There are far too many people in our midst who are still living in a fool's paradise, as all Europe lived in a fool's paradise between the two world wars. Do you remember how, before the war, we nearly all of us refused to face the ugly facts of Nazism and violence; how we persisted in believing that, fundamentally, all was well? The greatest calamity that has befallen mankind, with all its dreadful aftermath, has not yet cured us of complacency."

And even Mr. Walter Lippmann in his reply to Mr. G. F. Kennan's article—"The Sources of Soviet Conduct," Foreign Affairs, July, 1947—while disagreeing with its author in many respects, enjoins his country and his compatriots to seek a goal "that all men can understand, and one which expresses faithfully our oldest and best tradition—to be the friend and champion of nations 'seeking independence and an end to the rule of alien powers'." How, we ask the writer quoted at the outset, has Russian conduct in the last four years supplied the incentive to Canadians, for instance, to "forget Russia and Russia will never bother us?" The thesis of Dr. Davies and subsequent tragic facts supply the answer.

HIGH COST OF COLLEGE

IN ITS CURRENT ISSUE COLLIER'S Magazine discusses the high cost of College. It advances the suggestion that the average family has been priced out of the university market, and that the United States can no longer boast that any American boy with brains can go to college if he wants. Supporting this case, the magazine sets forth various figures that demonstrate the difficulty of financing a student through the four years required for a bachelor's degree and the additions that must be made if he or she goes on to attain a doctor's parchment.

The weekly publication found, in a survey, that fees have been doubled in many cases and that board-and-room have gone up to a point at which the hardship on parents financing their children's higher education becomes almost prohibitive. The article states: "Before your son gets his college degree (in a private American college) it will cost you from $6,000 to $8,000—perhaps $10,000 if you choose an expensive campus". As a result of the current costs, the survey revealed, hundreds of college students are on the verge of dropping out before next term starts.

The figures cited above are for United States institutions. The argument, however, might be applied with some justification to Canadian counterparts. But if the case proves anything at all, it asserts the advantages of such local centres as Victoria College for the people in the communities they serve. At Victoria College, fees have climbed steadily from a remembered $100 a year to the present $155, and there is a possibility of another substantial jump. But such charges are of relative importance only if a student can live at home and attend classes. It is true that a graduate of the local college cannot receive a degree without two more years at university. But by being able to acquire the preparation for the final years before he or she moves to a university where board and room become a factor, the student is able to cut expenses to a minimum.

Another point should be kept in mind. Most Canadians seek vacation time employment. Just as college costs have risen, so have wages for the five-months work between April and the middle of September. As long as jobs are available, undergraduates should be able to make a substantial contribution toward their schooling. A reduction in work opportunities—and signs of one exist at present—could materially alter that situation.

Under these circumstances, then, greater thought must be given by governmental authorities to the question of assisting bright students. At present certain scholarship arrangements are being made to help children of less affluent parents. As the high costs of college bite into the bankroll and reduce attendance, it is desirable that good material should not be barred from the lecture room by inadequate funds.

NOT GOOD ENOUGH

A REUTER'S REPORT FROM BERLIN states that a German firm has produced a woman's handbag with an internal electric light which goes on as soon as the bag is opened. That might be of some assistance to women in finding a bus ticket under lipstick, compact, cigarette case, change purse, old letters, odd glove, note book, file of recipes received from visiting friend, empty paper match folders, small handkerchief and auxiliary paper tissues, glass case, thimble, spool of cotton with small length of thread to be matched at the notions counter, theatre stubs, key container, and lipstick, compact, cigarette case—pardon, we've already rummaged through that. But a light is not enough. What a woman's handbag requires is a set of built-in cabinets, with card-index system, and an electronic brain to work them.

PRICE OF VICTORY

A HONGKONG DISPATCH DETAILING the economic troubles now being experienced by China's new Communist regime gives further evidence of the topsy-turvy way in which events often work out in the Orient. We are familiar, of course, with the paradoxes of Chinese history and customs—the way in which successive foreign conquerors have been swallowed up and deprived of their identity in the mass of the Chinese population; the tradition that he who saves another's life should henceforth be responsible for the welfare of the near-deceased; the arrangement whereby doctors are paid regularly as long as the "patient" remains well, but go without remuneration as soon as sickness occurs, and other similar diversions from our accepted ways.

It appears now that one of the chief problems facing the Mao Government is that of providing for the armed forces which still must be maintained. A report says that it "takes the taxes of 30 farmers merely to feed and clothe one soldier, exclusive of ammunition." The cost of an army numbering many thousands, and the load it imposes on the public economy, may thus be imagined. But part of the fruits of Communist victory has been the arrival of thousands more troops who have deserted the Nationalist ranks to join the conquerors. Their new allegiance, involving as it does the Government obligation to feed and clothe them, is evidently proving an embarrassment of the first magnitude. The problem could grow to be critical, since an army of discharged soldiers could become an army of unemployed, open to invitations from Nationalist guerrillas and other subversive elements. In typical Chinese fashion, the victor's crown has not been without its thorns.

CALCULATED SURLINESS

IT IS VERY DIFFICULT, READING OF the Russian action in stopping road and rail traffic in the Berlin area yesterday, to avoid the conclusion that the Soviets have a penchant for arbitrary moves designed to cause as much annoyance as possible. An American military train traveling from Berlin to Frankfurt, was held up seven hours while passengers' documents were inspected. German trucks heading for the former capital were stopped night-long, with one every half hour being allowed to proceed. In mid-morning, without any warning or explanation, full traffic was restored.

It is quite possible, of course, that the Russians had some special purpose in this sudden imposition of checks and investigations. Perhaps the hunt was on for some fugitive, or an emergency of some kind may have necessitated the action. But, if so, no one outside of Soviet headquarters was told. And it was in such a manner, incidentally, that the long blockade of Berlin began.

Bluntness, discourtesy and lack of consideration have become commonplace to those who must deal with Russian officials at first hand. The bull-in-a-china-shop attitude seems to be normal with them all, from the lowest border guard to the representatives of the Kremlin. While such an attitude persists, Soviet protestations regarding peace and co-operation must be heard with reservations.

NOTES

I feel right at home in Hollywood. A hot kitchen and a hot sound stage are alike—you're surrounded by hams in both.—Peter Mamakos, heir to restaurant fortune, now in the movies.

The United Nations is the primary centre of international co-operation. It is the supreme organization which struggles for peace and justice on a world basis.—Herbert V. Evatt of Australia.

Walter Lippmann

GERMANY AND U.S. POLICY

TWO PIECES of news from Germany show, I believe, that neither in Paris nor in Bonn do the men who know the score think that the present situation can last very much longer.

One was the story brought to light by Mr. Drew Middleton that Dr. Adenauer had made contact through Lieut.-General Kurt von Manteuffel with a group of eighteen German generals and staff officers, called the Brudershaft, and that he has received from them a plan for German rearmament.

The other story was that Dr. Adenauer had raised the question of the Saar Valley the day after negotiations began in Paris between the French Foreign Office and the semi-autonomous government of the Saar.

THERE IS a connecting link between these two apparently unrelated stories. Almost certainly it is that both Mr. Schuman and Dr. Adenauer are making ready for the reopening of the whole question of a German peace treaty.

The military proposals show what the Germans believe to be the proper timetable. They call for one infantry division by June of this year, and then an armored division by 1951. The German officers and Dr. Adenauer are not thinking of one infantry division by this June and one armored division by 1951 as rearmament to stop the Red Army from advancing across the Elbe. They are thinking of the time when the Red Army evacuates East Germany, leaving behind it the so-called "people's police," a German force now under the command of General Mueller. Apparently they expect the Russians to make a move some time this spring looking to the actual withdrawal, or to the opening of negotiations for the withdrawal, of the armies of occupation.

THE GERMAN OFFICERS, though their armies have been disbanded and most of their heavy equipment removed, continue to have the main elements of a general staff, appointed, it is supposed, before the surrender in 1945, and they are known in any event to be operating an intelligence service. There is no impenetrable Iron Curtain separating the German officers who live in the West from those who live in the East, and there can be little doubt that more or less clandestine communication and intercourse goes on continually among the officers on both sides of the line, as well as among politicians and businessmen. The estimate of these officers as to what is coming—namely decisions affecting the whole of Germany—must be taken seriously.

SO, TOO, must the French estimate. For among the three Western delegations the French delegation now in Germany is by all odds the most competent, the best informed and the most expertly trained, in German affairs. The action of the French government in respect to the Saar shows that like the Bonn government it believes that the time is rapidly approaching when the German peace treaty will be dealt with. Mr. Schuman and Dr. Adenauer disagree about the Saar. But they understand each other very well because they both know that the period of the great decisions about Germany is near. Both are getting ready for it.

Dr. Adenauer wants to obtain every possible concession from the Western nations before he comes to grips in his negotiations with Eastern Germany and the Soviet Union. He wants enough soldiers to offset the East German soldiers if and when the Red Army withdraws.

BUT HE wants also to have a free hand in his negotiations with the East. He would have a very free hand if there were nothing left—as regards territory, reparations, or sovereignty—which he has to negotiate with the West.

There is almost nothing left now except the Saar, permission to rearm, and the American subsidy which gives the Western powers a hold on the Adenauer government.

The firm stand taken on the Saar by Mr. Schuman, which happily has the support of Mr. Bevin and Mr. Acheson, involves something much greater than the disposition of the Saar Valley itself. It means that the Western powers intend to have a principal part in the coming German settlement, that there is a limit to the process of liquidating their influence and power which has been going on in recent months.

THE GREAT TROUBLE with this liquidation, as Mr. McCloy has managed it, is that he has been acting without full realization that a German settlement is necessary and without a clear idea of what it involves. Indeed, the Americans in Germany have been under the illusion that the separate state of West Germany is a more or less permanent thing, that the partition can last, and that Western Germany as such can be integrated into the Alantic community. And since the Western German politicians are decent and able men, the United States' German policy has been to help them by persuading the French and the British to give them what they ask.

But the Western German politicians are Germans, patriotic Germans, and never will any honest and patriotic German regard the West German state as anything but a transitory makeshift on the way to an all-German settlement. Therefore, though the controls and the symbols of defeat do have to be liquidated, they should not be liquidated in such a way as to deprive the Western nations of their bargaining power in the all-German settlement.

There is no doubt we belong to the Western world.—Chancellor Konrad Adenauer of Western Germany.

'A Plague On Both Your Houses!'

Hobbs-Dunsmuir Rebuttal

I beg the indulgence of your columns with reference to Mr. Roy Thorsen's article on "The Hobbs Case," in last Saturday's Magazine issue.

Far from Mr. Hobbs being in "a position where he was forced to accept so little for so much" in his deal with James Dunsmuir over his Extension mine rights, it should strike any sensible reader of the article that he was a very lucky man indeed to get $25,000 for a piece of wilderness for which he had paid a mere $960!

CHIEF DECEPTION

It would appear, further, that the chief deception in the deal lay in the fact that Ephraim Hodgson, after finding the coal on Hobbs' 160 acres, failed to tell him of his discovery.

James Dunsmuir evidently had heard little or nothing about the true facts of the case, as is stressed by his opening remark when he met Mr. Hobbs, "I'm glad to see you at last. I think I have been badly advised in this matter."

That Mr. Hobbs realized how powerless he himself was fully to capitalize on his extraordinary piece of good fortune, is shown by his wisdom in going to the only people who could—the Dunsmuirs.

As regards the price he obtained for his rights, we are reminded of the plumber who, called in to attend to a repair job, stayed five minutes and sent in his bill for $11. The houseowner, astounded at the amount, rang up and complained of being charged so much for so short a time—whereupon the following day he received a bill worded as follows—"To time spent on repairs, $1. For knowing how, $10."

The Dunsmuirs "knew how"; they had the coal, the market, and the money.

HISTORIAN QUOTED

It might be advisable to quote here what the well known historian, R. E. Gosnell, writes in his History of British Columbia on the subject of Robert Dunsmuir and his son James:

"The Dunsmuirs, father and son, have been in the past and are still the subject of much unjust criticism, as having been tyrannical and oppressive in their relations with their working coal miners; but a great deal of this criticism has arisen from prejudice and misunderstanding.

"Neither of them could be called diplomatic, and a natural brusqueness was too often mistaken for harshness. When Mr. James Dunsmuir discussed the labor question in private he gave the impression that his views on that question were the result of honest conviction and a desire to be fair, while for the lack of mutual sympathy and harmony between the Dunsmuirs and the unions, the blame is not all to be put on one side."

EXTREMELY POPULAR

Actually, Robert was extremely popular with his miners, as is borne out by the testimonial and gold watch given him by the miners of Nanaimo on his giving up the duties of mine Superintendent, in April, 1864—"as the best way to mark their appreciation of his conduct." James, too, was known for always giving reward to honest endeavor and faithfud service.

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Party Machines In Britain

London Observer Foreign News Service

FROM the outside each of the three main British political parties might seem to be controlled from headquarters in London. In fact, their central offices have only limited power.

LOCAL AUTONOMY

Nothing illustrates this more strongly than the various attempts which have been made during the last five years to bring about an electoral alliance between the Conservative and Liberal Parties. There have been times when the Conservatives have made definite offers to the Liberals—and the reason why no agreement has ever been reached is because neither side could give any guarantee.

The Conservatives know that they could not order any of their local associations to stand down in favor of a Liberal candidate. The Liberals have been in the same predicament. Whatever the leaders might want to do they know that their followers would almost certainly defy them.

This local independence is perhaps strongest in the Liberal Party. The last by-election held in Britain was at South Bradford. Liberal headquarters were convinced that it would be fatal for the party to fight it. Long before the writ was moved, headquarters made it clear what its attitude was. The local association ignored this advice and it was only at the last minute that the prospective Liberal candidate was withdrawn. Even then an unoffical Liberal insisted on fighting the seat.

The party machines reflect this defiant independence. The Labor Party has divided up the country into 11 areas, each with a regional office for its own area. Policy is decided by the National executive but in everything else the regions are, at least in theory, independent. They decide their own tactics, although the pamphlets themselves are produced by Transport House (Labor Party headquarters).

SAME LINES

The Conservative Party is organized on much the same lines. The Conservatives have 12 areas in England and Wales, all of them with a paid and full-time staff. Each of the areas has an agent (some of them even have a deputy agent). There are also a number of area officers—a publicity officer, for instance, and an education officer, a woman's organizer, even an officer for the Young Conservatives.

The Tories have more paid officials than the Labor Party. Whereas the Conservatives have about 600 paid agents, Labor has only about half that number. This is not because the Labor Party is short of funds—at the last annual conference the executive appealed for an election fund of £400,000 and no doubt got it without very much difficulty. But the party was not always so rich, and at one time constituencies could not afford to pay an agent.

The work, therefore, had to be done by a willing horse who took a holiday at election times and gave up his evenings during the year. That tradition still remains, and there are some Socialists who still prefer to have an unpaid man than a paid one. The paid official, they say, has not the same devotion and enthusiasm.

PAID OFFICIALS

The Liberals have eight areas, all with a paid official in charge. Like the Conservative machine, the Liberal organization has greatly improved as compared with the last general election. This has mainly been the work of two men — Philip Fothergill, who was until recently chairman of the Liberal organization, and his successor, Lord Moynihan.

Anyway It's Art

Edmonton Journal

People who don't like modern art, or can't understand it—and the two categories include most of the human race—may be reassured by a recent incident in England.

At an exhibit of paintings in the latest "abstract" manner in the Leeds Art Gallery, one of the pictures was accidentally hung upside down. It remained in that position for eleven days without anyone realizing that anything was wrong. Indeed the selection committee examined it in its reversed state and gave it an award.

How, it may be asked, was the mistake finally discovered? Did the artist, or someone with a true soul for art, come by and see at once that what was "up" in this masterpiece had been placed "down" and that what was "down" should have been "up"? Oh, no! It seems that someone just happened to notice that the artist's initials in the corner were upside down.

Rembrandt and Raphael may be old stuff to the painters today, but somehow we don't think this could have happened to them.

GLOBAL SURVEY

By DeWITT MACKENZIE
Associated Press News Analyst

THE isolated and mountainous state of Afghanistan, heretofore regarded as anti-Communist and for generations a buffer betweeen Russia and the Indian peninsula, suddenly has begun orienting her foreign relations toward Moscow.

That's a development which easily could create a further threat to the vast peninsula from the swelling Communist offensive in Asia. The reason for this startling shift in Afghan sentiment is the heated quarrel between Afghanistan and neighboring Pakistan over the territory surrounding the famous Khyber Pass which lies between them.

During the British rule of the peninsula this narrow belt of rocky territory between India's northwest frontier province and Afghanistan was regarded as a "neutral" zone in which lived the fierce Pathan tribesmen. This was by agreement between Britain and her neighbor. The British forces left the Pathans alone as long as they behaved themselves.

However, when Pakistan was created as an independent state and took over the northwest frontier province, she claimed she inherited the neutral belt and the Pathans. The tribesmen meantime have been trying to create an independent state called "Pathanistan," and Afghanistan is supporting this native movement. The Afghans say Britain is backing Pakistan.

SHADOW LOOMS

Afghanistan is turning away from the Indian peninsula and is raising its eyes to the spires of the Kremlin, toward which until now it dared not look. For the first time an official Russian trade mission has visited Kabul, the capital, and Russian technicians are being employed by the government.

So the shadow of Communism looms over the towering Kyhber Pass through which invaders of old made their way into India. However, that's far from being the whole story of the Red approach to the peninsula. If you will take a look at your maps of Asia you will see that the forces of Communism are drawing closer rapidly to the 400,000,000 people of Pakistan and India.

The whole land side of the Indian peninsula is ringed with the advancing Red host. The conquering Chinese Communists are closing in on Burma. They have an army on the border of Tibet and have announced that they intend to free this "roof of the world" which is asking the democracies for aid to defend itself against the Reds.

So the Indian peninsula on its entire extensive land side soon is likely to be in close contact with the Communist political drive—and don't think that Communists aren't busy within India as well.

CLIPPED at RANDOM

COMPETITION STRONG

Ottawa Journal

Sometimes, reading and listening to the U.S. advertising, we are made to wonder how the British contrive to sell any goods here at all.

POPULAR METHOD

Winnipeg Free Press

By far the greatest and most popular means of social security in Canada, as well as one of the largest financial pools available to develop the country, is that provided voluntarily by Canadian citizens through life insurance.

HUMORLESS DOCTRINE

Edmonton Bulletin

Socialism is essentially a humorless doctrine because it wipes the humanities out of government.

It stands for the sovereign rights of the state as opposed to the essential dignity and sovereignty of the individual.

There is no humor in a state. There is only humor in an individual.

It is entirely in keeping, therefore, that a government devoted to such theories should ban laughter during the critical period of a national election.

CONSERVATION AT YALE

New York Times

The rapidly increasing importance of the study and practice of conservation of natural resources has now been recognized by Yale University with the establishment of a two-year graduate course in the subject. This far-sighted action is gratifying indication that educators are coming to understand not only that the dissipation of America's renewable natural resources is a matter of the gravest concern but also that something can be done about it.

'Decision In Germany'

By Gen. Lucius D. Clay

Trials Completed Destruction Of Nazism; Effect On German People Said Profound

(This is Installment Six of the story of the crucial years in the Cold War with Russia, condensed from Gen. Clay's book to be published Feb. 9 by Doubleday & Co. Inc. Gen. Clay for two years immediately following the end of the war served as deputy military governor of U.S. occupied Germany. In 1947, he became commander of all U.S. forces in Europe, a post he held until retirement last year.)

Much has been written about the Nuernberg trials, their legal basis and their probable status in history. My comment will be limited to the effect of the trials in Germany.

They were conducted in solemn dignity and with a high sense of justice. The mass of evidence, which exposed not only the relentless cruelty of the Nazi regime but also the grasping rapacity of its leaders, was convincing to the Germany people.

The Germany people may have known something of the crimes committed by their own leaders, but they did not know the full extent of the mass extermination of helpless human lives, nor the ruthless cruelty of the concentration camp.

DESTRUCTION OF NAZISM

The trials completed the destruction of Nazism in Germany. Nationalism in some form or other may revive again, but not under Nazi leadership, which was shown not only to have used murder as an everyday political tool but also to have used it as a means of personal enrichment. No one in Germany during the trial could fail to witness its effect on the German people.

Subsequent to the international trial, much time was lost in determining whether the additional trials should be on an international or on a national basis, Soviet participation in the international tribunal had not been received happily in the nations of the world where justice prevails, and Soviet dissents in the final judgment of the international tribunal made new international trials undesirable.

It was resolved that we would proceed in the United States zone under military government, and Justic Jackson's able young assistant, Gen. Telford Taylor, was persuaded to head the prosecution staff.

HARD TO FIND JUDGES

Great difficulty was experienced in obtaining qualified jurists for the courts, and our hopes of a substantial representation from the federal judiciary were dashed by Chief Justice Fred Vinson's decision that federal judges could not be granted leave for the purpose.

It took a considerable period of time to obtain qualified jurists from the state judiciary systems to form the six courts. They were to try 12 cases, which were selected carefully to cover the range of German political and economic life which had contributed to its aggressive policy.

These cases included the industrial combines of Flick, Krupp and I. G. Farben; the physicians and surgeons who had used prisoners for experimental purposes; the storm-troop leadership that had ordered mass exterminations; the military leaders who had exploited occupied territories; the justice ministry which had violated all normal concepts of justice in condoning mass extermination and in its application of Nazi laws, and the Foreign Office experts who had worked to create the international situation in which aggressive war could be launched with maximum hope for success.

LITTLE SYMPATHY

It is difficult yet to appraise the full significance of these trials or their effect on German thinking. The trials which dealt with acts of atrocity identified the defendants with mass extermination and added to the German knowledge of the extent of Nazi brutality. In these cases there was little sympathy for the prisoners.

To prove that the industrialists had helped to provoke war was more difficult, and the courts did not find the evidence submitted sufficient to convict.

Punishment of the industrialists resulted for the most part from their use and abuse of slave labor. These trials which failed to convince courts likewise failed to convince the German people of the guilt of their industrial leaders in the events which led to war. The trials of the military leaders had little effect on the German people.

MANY DOCUMENTS USED

The involved nature of the cases required the use of many documents by both the prosecution and the defence, so that they required months for completion. It was difficult to sustain public interest over a long period of time, as much of the evidence was repetitious, and this was true at home as well as in Germany.

On the whole, though, those of us who were responsible for the trials feel that the full evidence will provide history with an unparalleled record of how greed and avarice attract unscrupulous hands to bring misery and destruction to the world. Perhaps an analysis of the causes thus exposed may yet reveal the cure. Certainly, in reviewing the cases which came before me, I felt no hesitancy in approving the sentences.

CONTINUANCE OPPOSED

I tried to expedite the trials and set July 1, 1948, as the target date for completion. In 1947 substantial opposition developed in the United States to their continuance, and the department of the army desired them to be brought to an early close.

In September, 1947, I urged the department of the army to permit the Foreign Ministry, military command and Krupp cases to be brought to trial before the program was discontinued, and to find additional judges for the requisite courts. This was approved in the understanding that no further cases would be considered.

I was unable to meet my commitment of July, 1948, for completion because defence counsel had to be given as much time as it desired to prepare its evidence. The last of the cases was not completed until April, 1949.

CONCURRENT TRIALS

Concurrently with the Nuremberg trials ran the trials of the war criminals charged with specific crimes, such as participation in the murders and cruelties of the concentration camps, in the murder of our airmen who were forced to parachute to supposed safety within Germany and in the murder of unarmed, surrendered soldiers.

While these cases were tried at Dachau by special military tribunals and hence did not come under military government, I became responsible for them in March, 1947, when I took over theatre command. It is unfortunate that later the Malmedy case cast some discredit on these trials as a whole, although improper methods in obtaining evidence were charged only in this instance.

THE MALMEDY CASE

A number of the death sentences in the Dachau trials were handed down before I assumed command, but execution was stayed pending the hearing of a petition in the Supreme Court. When the petition for review was denied, decision rested in my hands.

It was then that I asked for an independent review which led to the appointment of the Simpson Commission by the department of the army. This commission and my own administration of justice review board found that improper methods were used to obtain evidence in the Malmedy case. Members of the prosecution staff testified to the use of stage settings, stool pigeons and similar measures to extract evidence.

BRUTALITIES NOT BORNE OUT

Extreme brutalities claimed by the prisoners, in manifest self-interest, were denied by the prosecution staff and not borne out by other evidence. While any use of improper methods was to be deplored, the army had been shocked beyond measure at the cold-blooded murder of our soldiers at Malmedy.

When after months of search among prisoners, the members of the Storm Troop units which were responsible were picked up, it was found they had been sworn to silence and this silence was difficult to break. They were the tough, hard-bitten fanatics of Nazism, and I could understand, if not condone, the treatment they received.

Although certain of their guilt, I felt that I must disapprove the death penalty unless there was evidence other than that of witnesses claiming that their confessions were extorted under force and duress.

1,672 JUDGED

Altogether, the Dachau trials, which were brought to a close on Dec. 30, 1947, judged 1,672 individuals and acquitted 256. I set aside 69 convictions, commuted 119 sentences and reduced 138, leaving 1,090 sentences.

Four hundred and twenty-six of the convictions carried the death sentence. My responsibility as reviewing officer (there was no Court of Appeals) and as clemency officer was great, and there was no other which weighed more heavily on me.

REVIEWS EXPLAINED

Early in the review of these cases we found that some witnesses, who had been inmates of concentration camps and who had testified before several tribunals, remembered details and events not corroborated by other testimony and covered such a wide range of time and location as to be of doubtful credibility.

Later, a Senate committee critized us for questioning the credibility of witnesses whose words were accepted by the tribunals. Since our review encompassed a larger field, it did not seem in the interest of justice to accept fully the credibility of a witness before one court when it was made doubtful by his testimony before another.

I felt that evidence leading to the death sentences must be indisputable, and therefore commuted 127 to life imprisonment. The responsibility for 299 executions rested on my final judgment, and in every case I pored over the record to satisfy my conscience that the sentence was deserved.

In the face of this heavy responsibility, out of the 1,672 trials came that of Ilse Koch, the notorious wife of the first commandant of Buchenwald concentration camp, but as I examined the record I could not find her a major participant in the crimes of Buchenwald.

A sordid, disreputable character, she had delighted in flaunting her sex, emphasized by tight sweaters and short skirts, before the long-confined male prisoners and had developed their bitter hatred. Nevertheless these were not the offences for which she was being tried, and so I reduced her sentence expecting the reaction which came.

Perhaps I erred in judgment, but no one can share the responsibility of a reviewing officer.

ACTED ON THE RECORD

Later the Senate committee which unanimously criticized this action, heard witnesses who gave testimony not contained in the record before me. I could take action only on that record. Unfortunately, a failure in a lower office had resulted in several months' delay in publishing my action, which I had intended to be published when it was taken.

This was the single slip in the public release of the actions taken in 1,416 cases, and it was to be expected that it would lead to charges of attempted concealment. To be charged with deliberate softness in war trials was more difficult to understand, as I had approved the death sentence of more than 200 war criminals.

I have been asked if the Ilse Koch and Malmedy charges discredited our war trials in Germany. It is true that they were prime subjects for Communist propaganda.

On the other hand, the full discussions in our press and radio and the obvious interest of the American people in justice and fair play rather impressed the German population. At least they learned that an official representing the United States must exercise his responsibilities in the bright light of public discussion. This was another and valuable lesson in democracy.

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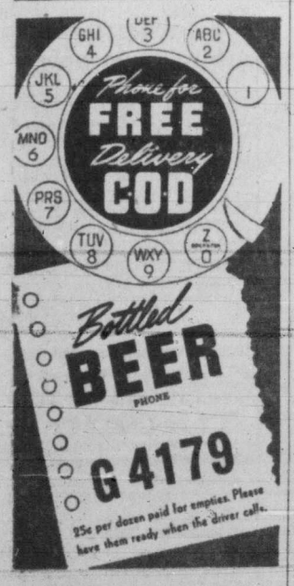
Trial of Ilse Koch, described by Gen. Clay as a sordid, disreputable character who delighted in flaunting her sex, was criticized in the U.S. She served four years for brutalities to Buchenwald concentration camp inmates, and immediately on her release was rearrested by the Germans to face a new trial.



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No Pledge Of Work For Jobless

WINNIPEG (CP)—City council was told Monday the federal government did not commit itself at the 1945 Dominion-Provincial Conference to a scheme of public works and other assistance to unemployed during a "business recession."

A letter from A. MacNamara, deputy minister of labor, was read to the council. It replied to a council motion passed two weeks ago calling on the federal government to institute immediately a public works program to curb increases in unemployment here.

The government proposed "a certain line of action" at the conference, the letter said, "but the conference disbanded without coming to an agrement."

Mr. MacNamara said the number of unplaced applications in the Winnipeg employment office increased from 10,000 in early 1949 to 12,256 at Jan. 5 this year.

"We were hoping the situation in Winnipeg would not be judged difficult," Mr. MacNamara said.

19-Year-Old Eskimo Sees First Big City

VANCOUVER (CP)—A Canadian-born priest in Skagway, Alaska, for 32 years, arrived in Vancouver Monday to show a 19-year-old Eskimo lad the sights of the outside world.

It is the first time Harlan Mable has ever been in the big city and, so far, everything he has seen has been new and wonderful. He is accompanied by Father Edgar Gallant, head of the Pius 10th Mission in Skagway, who is taking a trip south and plans to stop in Los Angeles and Hollywood.

However, Harlan is more interested in cattle than movie stars. He plans to have his own dairy herd later on. He is a student of dairying at Father Gallant's school and it was there he obtained his interest in dairying. The mission operates Skagway's only dairy, with 25 head of cattle, and supplies the 800 people with fresh milk.

Alligators, Snakes Add To Flood Dangers

GEORGETOWN, British Guiana (AP) — Alligators and snakes, lurking around porches and doorsteps, today added to the distress of thousands of persons marooned by flood waters on British Guiana's coastal belt. The floods, resulting from heavy rainfall, are the worst since 1934.

Preparedness For Defence Planned By Industries

WINNIPEG (CP)—Maj.-Gen. G. B. Howard of Montreal, general manager of the Canadian Industrial Preparedness Association, said Monday it would take Canada at least 18 months to get into large-scale production of war materials in the event of another world war.

Gen. Howard, in Winnipeg to confer with city industrialists, said in an interview that the 18 month period would be necessary only on technical machinery."

"It would only take about six months to get into shell production and manufacture of uniforms and boots could be done overnight," he said. "A general over-all, large-scale plan for all war materials, however, would take 18 months."

Gen. Howard said he admitted this was a long period and the purpose of the association was to plan and prepare; to co-ordinate industry and the department of national defence.

The association, formed in September, 1947, has 270 members. All types of industry are represented.

Gen. Howard said no work has yet been done with the mobilization of food, transportation or communication, but these will be looked into "in the near future."

Privy Council Hears Appeal On Taxation Of Late Pat Burns

LONDON (CP) — Thirteen years after the death of Senator Partick Burns of Calgary, a tax dispute over the funds he left to charity reached the judicial committee of the Privy Council Monday.

The funds in question are administered by the Royal Trust Company to five Alberta charities named by Burns in his will. Burns died Feb. 4, 1937.

Since January, 1946, the Trust Company and Burns' executors have been appealing against income tax assessments made upon the income from these funds by the Minister of National Revenue.

The Privy Council now is being asked to rule on a Supreme Court of Canada judgment upholding the assessments.

For the appellants S. G. Dixon, K.C., of Montreal, appearing with N. G. Nolan, K.C., of Calgary, submitted that the income in question was exempt from taxation under section four (E) of the Income War Tax Act.

This section provided that the income of religious and charitable institutions should not be liable to taxation.

Not Represented At Holy Year Opening

WINNIPEG (CP) — A staff member of the Ensign, Canadian Catholic weekly publication, said Monday night Canada was conspicuous by her absence at the opeinng of the Holy Year in Rome.

Olga MacDonald of Montreal, who attended the ceremonies and received an audience with Pope Pius XII, said:

"Canada was forcibly noticed because of her lack of representatives to the Holy See although her population is 43 per cent Roman Catholic."

Miss MacDonald addressed a meeting of the Catholic Women's League.

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CANADIAN MINISTER AT CEYLON LUNCHEON—Delegates to the recent Commonwealth Conference at Colombo take time out from their discussions to attend a luncheon given by the Minister of Justice for Ceylon. Left to right are the Minister of Justice, Prime Minister Pandit Nehru of India; External Affairs Minister Pearson of Canada; External Affairs Minister Doidge of New Zealand, and Rt. Hon. Philip Noel-Baker, secretary of state for Commonwealth relations. (CP Photo)

Patients Flown To Churchill Hospital

WINNIPEG (CP)—A mother and her two young children re in "fair condition" in the hospital at Fort Churchill, Man., today after being flown from their home at Neultin Lake, 250 miles northwest of Churchill.

R.C.A.F. officials here say they understand the three are suffering from chest congestion. The father, identified only as Mr. Lunt, accompanied the three on the trip, but was not confined to hospital. The children are believed to be about five and six years old.

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Honeymoon Couples Win Trip To City

Mr. and Mrs. Les Capelli of Kent, Wash., left, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fletcher of Seattle are honeymooning in Victoria after winning a two-day visit on the new Seattle radio program, "The Time of Your Life." They are staying at Oak Bay Beach Hotel.

Although the young couples had not met until their arrival here, both Mr. and Mrs. Capelli and Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher had planned to visit this city on their honeymoon.

"My mother told us about the program," said Mr. Fletcher, who is in the construction business," and suggested that we send our names in and take a chance on being picked."

"It really was a great deal of fun," laughed petite Mrs. Fletcher, formerly of Kansas, "we were asked to portray either a song or story, and ours of all things, was the new popular song 'Mule Train.'"

Mr. and Mrs. Capelli were a little at a loss as to how they were chosen to appear on the new show.

"Just before we were married last Thursday we received a telephone call," said Mr. Capelli, "and the next thing we knew we had won this trip."

As one of three couples chosen each week to be guests on the show, attractive, dark-haired Mrs. Capelli told of their contribution to the program.

"I played a very old Hawaiian guitar and my husband was made to dance the hula."

Following the program, each bride was presented with a corsage bouquet. The couples were given cars to use and then told they could choose any city on the west coast as their destination for two days.

It is the first trip to this city for Mr. and Mrs. Capelli, but they plan to come back again during the summer months.

Pioneer Food Analyst, Miss Wright Helps Department Reminisce At Anniversary

OTTAWA (CP)—A slight, grey-haired lady with a twinkle in her eye and a ready wit came back to help the food and drug division of the Health Department celebrate its 75th anniversary.

A pioneer in the field of food and drug control, Miss Sarah Elizabeth Wright was pleased as Punch with the developments in the division she joined 57 years ago.

The first woman Dominion analyst in the division, Miss Wright played an important part in the development to the high present-day standards of Canada's check on impure food and drugs.

"I enjoyed every minute of my 41 years in the division," said Miss Wright.

"When I started here, we were paid $600 a year," she said. "In those days we were situated in the west block of the Parliament Buildings. We weren't very popular there. We often tested various kinds of fertilizer and the people around us didn't like the fumes."

Miss Wright, who smilingly reminded reporters that she hasn't reached her 80th birthday yet, told of one amusing incident in those quarters.

Part of the work of the division was to test beer to assure its purity. To make up for the fumes, she often gave samples of the beer to other civil servants in offices on the same floor.

On one occasion, a number of bottles came into the division with no indication of why they were sent. It wasn't until after the beer had been drunk that the inspector turned up and informed Miss Wright that it was being checked because a cat had fallen in the vat containing the beer and had drowned.

Miss Wright said that "in my small way was how I made temperate people out of some of the clerks in the revenue department."

"Canada has moved very far ahead of other countries in food and drug control in recent years," said Miss Wright. Adulteration ran about 56 per cent when she arrived. Today it is less than 2 per cent.

Miss Wright laughingly explained why she reluctantly retired in 1934.

"People were inquiring about my health," she said, "and I never knew whether they were anxious or hopeful of an opening for a promotion. I thought I'd better retire soon."

New York Hospital Shows Way To Better Care Of Infants

NEW YORK (AP) — When Susie was born, she weighed one pound, seven and one-half ounces She was a seven months baby.

Now she is seven years old, and of normal size, health, weight and intelligence.

That makes her something of a medical miracle. She was the smallest successful premature baby ever cared for at the New York hospital, one of the centres here with a special premature nursery.

Only rarely have lighter or earlier babies managed to live. The absolute medical records are hard to fine. But babies born after six months, or even perhaps after five and one-half months, have lived though the chances were astronomically high against them.

By premature, a doctor technically means a baby that weighs less than five and one-half pounds at birth. A nine-month baby could still be called premature.

The average unborn baby weighs about one pound four ounces at five and one-half months of pregnancy. If born then, it will try to breathe but always dies within a short time, says one professor of obstetrics.

If born after six months, the average baby would weigh only about two pounds, and these are occasionally saved, he adds. After seven months, it weighs four pounds or less, and may live if properly cared for. After eight months, it weighs five and one-half pounds, and has a very good chance for pulling through. The average birth weight of a nine-month baby is seven pounds.

25-POUND BABY

Pregnancy sometimes lasts longer than the normal 280 days, and medical records cite cases of 330 to 336 days, or nearly 11 months. These postmature babies usually are heavier than average. The heaviest weight reported by two authorities was 25 pounds.

Perhaps 10 per cent of infants are born prematurely, and about 30,000 die each year in the United States. Half the deaths among babies in the first month of life occur among the prematurely born.

The premature infant's chances for life are generally better now than 20 years ago. A lot depends upon his weight, age, resistance, and how soon he gets special care.

The New York hospital premature nursery is typical of the good care being provided in many cities. It cares for 20 to 22 prematures at a time. A baby may stay for three weeks, or three months.

Babies weighing less than three and one-half pounds are automatically put into an incubator with careful control over temperature, humidity, and oxygen supply. Babies weighing more than that go into an air-conditioned nursery, unless they need an incubator.

The infants are given injections of vitamin K to prevent hemorrage. Adrenalin and caffeine are on hand for emergency use. There are special diets, precautions against spreading infections. Birth defects that would be fatal can sometimes be corrected by surgery. A baby only a day old, and weighing only a few pounds, can often stand operations surprisingly well, said Dr. Margaret Dann, associate attending pediatrician.

Good, prompt care after the birth is only part of the story. Much can be done to prevent premature birth by proper diet and pre-natal care of mothers. Researchers are seeking to learn more about preventing or handling infections during pregnancy, and how to avoid or handle complications during delivery.

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Of Personal Interest

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Adam, Westdowne Road, had as their guests over the past week-end Mr. Adam's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Kerr of Ladysmith.

Mrs. Horace B. McClung left Victoria by plane on Monday for Edmonton, where she was called by the death of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Lillian McClung, 11127 83rd Avenue, Edmonton.

Mrs. R. J. Wilson is a visitor in the city from Toronto, en route to California. She is spending two weeks as the guest of Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Wilson, Pemberton Road.

Mr. Harold Gauti, Ponoka, Alta., and Miss Marguerite Ledoux, Seattle, were among guests at the marriage of Mr. Robert Duclos and Miss Erla Gauti.

Mr. T. J. Gower, Victoria, registered at British Columbia House last week, also Mrs. C. M. Unwin, Duncan. Other visitors registering from British Columbia were Messrs. H. W. Dudley Geoghegan and F. W. Fleming. Misses Elizabeth Bell-Irving and Miss Marjorie Hood, all of Vancouver; Mrs. C. M. Unwin, West Summerland; Mrs. Esme Rowley, Summerland, and Maj. Fred T. Foort, Quathiaski Cove, V.I.

Mrs. J. L. Watson, who has been visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. MacLeavy, in Los Angeles for the past month, has now returned to her home, 1240 Oscar Street.

Mr. and Mrs. William Moore, the Uplands, are leaving the city today for Vancouver, from where they will board the Canadian Pacific Airlines for a holiday trip to Hawaii. Mr. and Mrs. Moore, who will be staying at the Moana Hotel, Honolulu, expect to be away for three months.

Mrs. N. Phillips entertained recently in honor of Mrs. Maude Hammond, who is leaving the city shortly. Tea was served from a table centred with a bowl of large white chrysanthemums and pale green candles in silver holders. Mrs. G. A. A. Hebden, Mrs. W. Arnold and Mrs. A. Sabiston assisted the hostess in serving. Other guests were Mesdames J. Hammond, G. Lane, F. Kermode, T. Ross, J. Birnie, L. Cox, T. Ainscough, A. Ridland, A. R. C. Hebden, J. E. Fuller, J. T. Jones, I. Smith, A. L. Oakley, A. R. C. Hebden, J. E. Fuller, G. Hold, J. Hedley and Miss Judy Parsons. During the afternoon Mrs. Hammond was presented with a traveling iron with best wishes of the assembled guests.

Frivolous Hat For New Play

Madame Lugrin Fahey, right, assists Miss Helen Heitzman to adjust a hat she will wear in the forthcoming production "And So Her Ladyship," to be presented by the Victoria Light Opera Company at Victoria Little Theatre Feb. 8, 9, 10 and 11. The musical play was composed and is being produced by Mme. Fahey. Proceeds from the four performances will be given to the Junior Auxiliary to the B.C. Protestant Orphanage for work with the children.

Atlantic Pact Means Much To Canada In Peace Or War

War is not likely or probable, but possible, said Prof. Sidney Pettit when he addressed the members of the Victoria Business and Professional Women's Club at a supper meeting in their clubrooms.

Speaking on the Atlantic Pact and its relation to Canada, Prof. Pettit went on to say "We cannot afford to take chances."

"As one of the participating nations of the pact, Canada has much to gain from the security afforded by this agreement, which was drawn up primarily for collective defence purposes."

This treaty signed by nations of western Europe, Canada and United States form the periphery or rim. It is an instrument affording security in times of peace, consultation in days of stress and trouble, and armed aid in case of attack by an aggressor country.

The Atlantic Pact, drawn up a year ago is still nascent history and cannot therefore be fully analyzed. It is really an "ad hoc" arrangement for collective security brought into being by events of the past 50 years.

The speaker was introduced to the meeting by Mrs. Dorothy M. Ambrose and thanked by Miss Marjorie Gibson.

Miss Mabel Cameron paid tribute to the life and work of Mrs. John Hebden Gillespie, whose passing last week was a sad loss to the club.

Orchids Top Bible Carried By Bride Eileen Leighton

A white Bible, mounted with green orchids and streamers of white ribbon showered with yellow freesias, was held by Aileen Mary, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Leighton, 1533 Vining Street, when she exchanged marriage vows with John Patrick Jackson, only son of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Jackson, Kamloops.

Rev. Moir A. J. Waters officiated at the quiet ceremony held Friday evening in the vestry of First United Church.

The bride, who wore an afternoon dress of green velvet with black accessories, was attended by Mrs. J. Friesen, wearing a grey frock with matching accessories and carrying a bouquet of white gardenia and pink freesias for the occasion. Jack Friesen was best man.

A reception attended by 30 guests was held at the Leighton home where toast to the bride was proposed by her uncle, J. Leighton. The bride's table was centred with a three-tier wedding cake flanked by candles and yellow and white freesias in silver holders.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackson left by plane for a honeymoon in Seattle and will return to make their home at 1032 McGregor Street.

P.-T.A. News

Cordova Bay—Members of Cordova Bay P.-T.A. will meet in the school Thursday at 8.

Vows Exchanged By Erla Gauti, Robert Duclos

Tall baskets of pink and white chrysanthemums were placed in Belmont United Church for the marriage Jan. 20 uniting Erla Gudny Gauti, youngest daughter of Mrs. Aslang Gauti and the late Thorstein Gauti, 1329 Stanley Avenue, and Robert Murray Duclos, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Sydney R. H. Duclos, Durrance Road, Saanich.

For the ceremony performed by Rev. C. R. McGillivray, the bride, escorted by her brother, Harold Gauti, wore a two-piece afternoon dress in powder blue lace posed over taffeta.

A bandeau of pink rosebuds held her brief veil, and similar blossoms were repeated in her crescent bouquet.

Edna Gauti, maid of honor for her sister, chose a frock of cherry red velvet. Her bandeau of red and white carnations, matched the blossoms in her bouquet.

Robert Mezzer was best man.

Following the nuptial rites, a reception for close friends and relatives was held at the home of the bride's parents.

A hand-made lace cloth decorated the table, and tall white tapers were arranged on either side of the three-tier wedding cake.

Villi Josephson gave the toast to the bride.

When Mr. and Mrs. Duclos left for Vancouver on their wedding trip, the bride wore a black boucle coat with Persian Lamb trim over her wedding dress, grey suede accessories and corsage bouquet of pink rosebuds.

The newlyweds are making their home on Durrance Road, Saanich.

Band Auxiliary Annual Banquet

Sixty boys and their parents were present at the annual dinner of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Victoria Lions' Youth Band, held recently in Lougheed Banquet Club. Edward Tucker, manager of the band, spoke briefly on activities and presented gifts to John Mackie and Jim Branson, who are leaving the group because they have each reached the age of 21. H. Estlin, president of the Lions Club, and Mrs. Estlin were honor guests. The auxiliary is now making plans for a daffodil tea on April 1 in the Douglas Room, Hudson's Bay Company store.

Club Calendar

Officers and members, Open Door Spiritual Church, 1600 Cook Street, social, Wednesday at 8.

Rebekah Past Noble Grand's Club regular meeting Thursday at 8, I.O.O.F. Hall, Douglas Street. Initiation. Hostesses, Sisters E. Farquhar, A. Gonnason, E. Holyoak and N. Howes.

Winning Writer

Norah McFarlane of Ottawa, 16-year-old daughter of a National Film Board producer and writer, won the $500 first prize in a short-story contest sponsored by a United States magazine for 'teen-agers (17). Norah says she'll use the money to help pay her way through Carleton College School of Journalism in Ottawa. Her 2,000-word story, "Times of Casting Stones," tells of the thoughts of a boy and girl, who don't like each other, at a dance.—(CP Photo)

Clubwomen's News

First Meeting—The Philathea Group of the Metropolitan Church held their first meeting of the year at the home of Mrs. C. F. Wharton, Arnold Street. Mrs. R. Hetherington presided during the meeting while reports covering 1949 were read and adopted.

Oak Bay High—Regular meeting of the Oak Bay High School P.-T.A. will be held on Wednesday at 8 in the school auditorium. Walter Jeune will speak on "My Impressions of England Today."

Travel In Eastern Canada

—Photo by Joncas Studio.

Ray Clark and his bride, the former Doris Rosychuck, left for a month's honeymoon in eastern Canada following their marriage in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

A wine-toned suit, fashioned on tailored lines, black accessories and corsage bouquet of roses were worn by Doris Rosychuck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rosychuck, Edmonton, when she became the bride of Ray Clark, son of Mrs. Clark, of Ontario, in a ceremony Jan. 7.

The bride was attended by her sister, Mrs. A. J. Pylypa, who wore a navy suit, white accessories and roses en corsage. Lloyd Brooker was best man.

Immediately following the service, a reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pylypa, Lyall Street, and later the newlyweds left for eastern Canada on a four-week wedding trip.

Canadian Legion Auxiliary Presents Variety Concert

A successful concert was presented recently by Ladies' Auxiliary to Britannia Branch No. 7, Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., in the Blanshard Street auditorium.

President, Mrs. D. McCulloch, welcomed those who attended and explained the aims, objects and work of the auxiliary.

Among those taking part were Miss Lucy Tomczyk, Spanish and tap dancing; Master Bud Bean, songs with boogie-woogie on the piano; Messrs. Jim McGrath and Stan James, accompanied by Bill Emmerton, song and dance numbers; Alvin Bonk and Billy Hatch, trumpet duet; Mrs. W. Allen, soprano solo; Delaina Sadler, tap dancing; Mrs. A. Syrett, assisted by Messrs. James and McGrath, popular songs; Mrs. W. Allen and Capt. H. Russell, excerpts from H.M.S. Pinafore in costume; Bill Fry, trombone solos.

A hilarious wedding skit with appropriate popular songs was given by the two question marks; a sketch, "Radio Station MUSH," by Miss Sheila Marmo and Mr. McGrath, accompanied by Mr. Emmerton.

"In An Old Ladies' Home," a musical sketch produced by Mrs. A. Stretton, including a contralto solo by Mrs. E. Swan, was given by to following auxiliary members: Mesdames F. M. Williamson, E. Wren, A. Syrett, D. McCulloch, E. Swan, G. Baker and E. Champion. The Rhythm Ramblers, Messrs. A. Hadfield, L. Willing, R. and G. Hamilton, played popular tunes.

Mrs. W. G. Graves, accompanied the dancers from Florence Clough school and Mrs. A. Bean was accompanist for the evening.

Refreshments were served to the artists under convenership of Mrs. M. Graham, assisted by Mrs. A. Hadfield and Mrs. H. Hayes. Mrs. A. Stratton was general convener for the evening and Mesdames E. Watson, L. R. Corlett and J. H. Farmer were in charge at the door.

Piano Recital

Miss Dermot Baillie's piano pupils presented an interesting program of music before an audience of parents and friends last Saturday at 2465 Epworth Street. A quartette, two duets and four trios lent variety to the solo numbers. Prizes were presented to Ilaine Galliford, Lorna Mulholland, Sandra Parton, Tommy Bogle and Jack Showers. Honor-roll was awarded to Jack Showers. Others taking part on the program were Irene Boone, Clinton and Theresa Bradshaw, John Galliford, Barbara and Jean Harris, John Parton, Bob Showers, Lorne Smith, Dianne Tippett, Billy Heatley and Victoria Meyers. Afternoon tea and games concluded the recital.

Keep this ripe olive sauce in mind for the fish days just ahead. Take a half cup of medium-thick white sauce and stir in ¼ cup each grated Canadian cheese and ripe olive wedges and 2 teaspoons chopped sweet pickle. Spread over cooked fish and pop under the broiler to brown.

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Your Baby And Mine

By MYRTLE MEYER ELDRED

HARD WORK, PATIENCE AND PRAYER SAVED CHILD FROM BEING INVALID

This column is concerned with the care of healthy children, but unhappily, we know that all children are not the same and some suffer from physical handicaps of a permanent nature.

This letter from a grateful mother offers such encouragement to the mothers of spastic children, that I felt compelled to print it. Since more is known about the education of spastics there is a greater hopefulness in their eventual ability to lead fairly normal lives.

Mrs. C. E. A. says she has been a constant reader of this column and decided to write to it in the hopes that she could give comfort and encouragement to mothers faced with a problem similar to hers.

"My little girl is a spastic," she writes, "and she is now six years old. When she was only two the doctors held out no hope that she would ever walk. Now, at six, they tell me that if she has a nerve operation she has a chance of being completely normal.

"I could have put her in a hospital, when she was small, but we preferred to care for her ourselves. I am only 28 and I am turning grey, but all of this has been worth it to me.

"We had her under the care of a pediatrician and an orthopedist. I followed their orders to the letter about food, cod liver oil, exercise, hot baths and hot oil massage. Now she can use her left arm almost normally and an operation will fix her leg.

"Instead of the invalid I had supposed she would be, she is a bright, healthy, little girl. The right diet and exercise can do miracles if they are coupled with hard work and patience and prayer. We have prayed and worked hard and God has been good to us. Keep up your own good work."

Thank you for your good wishes. May I say that it would be wrong to encourage the parents of all spastics to believe that they, too, could work miracles. But, there is little doubt that the re-education of muscles not involved in the brain injury, the treatment of mentally normal children as if they were normal, can have an enormous influence in rehabilitating these physically handicapped children.

Our leaflet No. 31 "Meals for the School Child," may be had by sending a stamped, self-addressed envelope with your request to Myrtle Meyer Eldred in care of this newspaper.

The Luck Of The Pancake

One old pancake recipe from a 90-year old grandmother says that it takes more than a list of combined ingredients to turn out a nice, fat, golden-brown griddle cake. "In addition," she insists, "it takes equal parts of imagination, experience and that indescribable quality similar to instinct in animals."

Though the best of the cooking experts would never agree about so much chance involved in the baking of a good pancake, one of the oldest fables says that the pancake is really a symbol of luck. This story involves Napolean and Josephine . . . here's how it's told:

Josephine was herself preparing Napolean's dinner one evening. As he arrived she was hurrying to prepare the crepes (pancakes in French). Napoleon gaily insisted that he be allowed to toss the cakes. Josephine warned him that if he dropped one of the cakes it meant bad luck, but he hushed her and confidently started to toss the cakes . . . one, two, three, four . . . but the fifth cake slid down over the side of the griddle and spread itself on the flagstones. Napoleon never forgot the incident, for his Marshal Ney claims that as they watched Moscow burn, the little general sighed. "There, it's my fifth crepe which avenges itself."

But enough of legend . . . here are some of the facts to follow that will give you "luck" with pancakes. Use a clean griddle that's been greased according to its own directions. This takes a little testing but generally a medium heat is best for baking. Don't turn a pancake after it has been cooked on both sides; don't stand waiting to turn the cake until all the air bubbles have broken and expelled the cake's precious airiness; don't lift an edge of the cake to peek under and check the browning process.

Since pancakes are likely to appear on a breakfast, luncheon or supper menu, do vary their flavor and their toppings. One of the newest recipes calls for the addition of bran cereal to the batter (this makes the cakes kin to a bran muffin in flavor). Topping for these cakes is a mixture of brown sugar, butter and plump seedless raisins. Serve them hot, singly or in stacks, all brushed with the sugar-butter-raisin mixture.

Here's this new bran-pancake recipe:

BRAN GRIDDLE CAKES

Two eggs, ¼ cup sugar, 2½ cups milk, 3 cups sifted flour, 2 tablespoons baking powder, 1½ teaspoons salt, ¼ cup melted shortening, ½ cup ready-to-eat bran.

Beat eggs and sugar until light and fluffy; add milk and mix well. Sift flour with baking powder and salt; add to first mixture, stirring until flour disappears. Add shortening. Fold in bran. Bake on hot griddle, turning only once.

Yield: 15 Griddle cakes (5½ inches in diameter).

Going To Europe This Year? Here Are Some Timely Tips On How To Be 'At Home Abroad'

(EDITOR'S NOTE: Thinking of going to Europe this year? It's a wonderful prospect, but it involves more than tossing a few things into a bag and setting forth. It takes detailed planning and preparation if it is not to be spoiled by snarled accommodation, passport mix-ups and visa delays. Reta Myers, national president Canadian Women's Press Club, learned the hard way. To facilitate pleasure traveling hours to prospective holidayers, she is passing the knowledge she gained last year on to prospctive 1950 travelers.

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By RETA MYERS

MRS. RETA MYERS

Thousands of travel-hungry people all over North America, many in Victoria, are sitting by their fireside these winter evenings planning a summer jaunt to Europe. They are dreaming of England in the spring, green fields gold-studded with swinging daffodils . . . Paris in April, pink flowering chestnuts a romantic canopy for glamorous sidewalk cafes . . . Scotland in summer, the fairylike towers of Edinborough castle glistening high above the blue mists . . . or the pageantry and pomy of an ancient Rome as it welcomes its greatest modern pilgrimage to the Holy City.

The old world is returning to normal and the tourist industry is booming. England may be in the throes of a political revolution. Food is not as plentiful or luxurious there as it is on this continent. Prices in European cities are high, by their local standards and there is a flourishing black market. The well-heeled tourist is still a source of income for those who offer all kinds of service.

Before you lose yourself in dreams, make sure you have taken care of all the practical details that help make your journey easy and pleasant. Those who have their passage already booked on some sort of transportation can consider themselves fortunate.

RESERVATIONS

If your armchair cruise has landed you at the place where you are now considering how you can enjoy the real variety—don't delay! Only cancellations remain of the available tourist accommodation on boats, and there is a long waiting list. Cabin and first class are still possible, but limited. According to present indications another month will see S.R.O. signs out, unless you can go in early spring or late fall.

If you are sky-minded you have your choice of ten airlines which are now operating over the Atlantic, with terminals in Scotland, London and other European airports. Canada boasts one of the best and you can step on a plane in Victoria, change at Montreal and be in London in 28 hours' flying time. This is the efficient way to travel. You have an extra two weeks for sight-seeing, and you aren't burdened with the traveler's curse—too much baggage.

By booking in an off season, you can save as much as $200 this way, more if you choose a more limited trip.

For those who want the easy way, a conducted tour is the ticket. There are innumerable varieties, but here too accommodation is reaching the vanishing point.

HOTELS

But if you want to sleep horizontally in England or on the continent, make your hotel reservations as soon as possible. The travel agency which booked your passage will do it, air companies will be glad to help, or you can write direct. Some London popular price hotels require personal reservations and are filled to the doors all year.

A pilgrimage to Rome is included in plans of thousands of tourists this year.

Have you a room?

Already hotels have been booked to capacity with rates that spiral as the supply dwindles. The Canadian airline, that makes connections with an Italian airline with its terminal near Rome, are guaranteeing all their Rome-bound passengers good accommodation in the Holy City at reasonable rates. Incidentally, every Roman Catholic will be given an audience with the Pope if the request is made to proper authorities.

Hotel tariffs offer wide choice, in the larger cities. There are good moderate priced London hotels where bed and breakfast won't cost more than $4 single and $6 double. Of course breakfast isn't wonderful with present lack of variety in diet. More expensive hotels run from $7.50-$10 and up, double, with meal prices in proportion. In this luxury type of restaurant, the government allows taxes and service charges so that breakfast might be $1 or more and dinner around $4.

With transportation and hotel reservations made, you are well on your way. Now you have the business of passports and visas. Every Canadian must have a passport, obtained from Ottawa, containing his photograph and identifying information. Application forms may be obtained when you book your passage, or direct from Ottawa. Two passport pohtos, your birth certificate and $5 must accompany the completed form. If you are considering entering other countries, you must have visas obtained from their consular offices. It is simpler to do this in Canada and you will need additional photographs as follows: U.S., 3 (if you are returning through an American port); Italy, 2; Holland, 4; Belgium, 3; France, none. Switzerland needs no visa.

If you are returning through a U.S. port you will also need a vaccination certificate. This should be obtained from your doctor and declare that you have been vaccinated in the past three years. If you cannot produce this, the U.S. medical officer will not allow you to land until you have submitted to vaccination and waited the necessary period for a "take."

PLAN CAREFULLY

For many this will be the first trip abroad and no matter what the cost, if the trip is planned carefully, the investment will never be regretted. You are buying experience, education and memories that you will never lose. You will never forget the first sight of the green rolling hills of Ireland, with their white buildings nestled high above the grey Atlantic. The cross-country train journey through England will stimulate your imagination as it unrolls a panorama of villages, towns, cities, whose familiar names are synonymous with political and industrial history. Your first sight of rows and rows of London chimney pots and crooked streets will revive your Dickens.

And you'll never forget your first glimpse of a Norman castle, set high on a hill where it has withstood the ravages of nature and man for more than 1,000 years.

If you are lucky enough to have a car, rented or otherwise, then you will be able to explore old England . . . the little hamlets that nestle around a spired church . . . the winding by-paths with their stone fences and neatly clipped hedges . . . the old manor houses that dominate surrounding farms that were once part of a feudal estate . . . the thatched roofs that make the villages look like picture post cards.

And, if you go to France, you have Paris, the chateaux, shops, sidewalk cafes . . . a menu that is as different as French pastry and Yorkshire pudding.

(To Be Continued)

Praises Canadian Women

Mme. Hubert Guerin, wife of the French ambassador, has nothing but praise for Canadian women. "It seems to me they are a reflection of this beautiful country," she said in a recent interview.

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ICE WRECKS SMALL BOATS ON VANCOUVER WATERFRONT—Boats were lifted on to floats and others sunk when huge hunks of ice jammed the mouth of Seymour Creek, across Burrard Inlet from Vancouver. Dynamite crews were called in to break up the jam and prevent waters from flooding homes along the banks.

Alberta Oil Report

U.S. Natural Gas Trend To Follow In Canada

CALGARY — Natural gas is big business in the United States and it is getting bigger. According to the American Gas Association income last year was almost $1,700,000,000, about 30 times the total income from Alberta oil.

The U.S. has 23,763,000 gas customers. Half a million customers were added last year. Some 700,000 are expected to be added this year.

The greatest salesman for gas, say the manufacturers, is John L. Lewis. Work stoppages, increases in the price of coal are turning the public to the more convenient, more dependable supply of natural gas.

Gas conversion burner sales were up 500 per cent; gas furnace sales up 35 per cent; gas heating boiler sales up 30 per cent.

BIG BACKLOG

The backlog of unfilled orders for conversion burners at the beginning of 1950 was 20 times as great as at the beginning of 1949.

The states which have the gas are not hesitating to export to states without gas.

The trend reported south of the border may be reflected in Canada in 1950. Pipelines which are planned to both Winnipeg and the Pacific coast are expected to go through.

First on the agenda is the application by West Coast Transmission to export gas by the all-Canadian route to the Pacific coast. It will be made to the Alberta Petroleum and Natural Gas Conservation Board.

Reserves are estimated at more than eight trillion cubic feet. In all its history Alberta has consumed less than half a trillion cubic feet.

In Turner Valley a trillion cubic feet was wasted, enough to supply Vancouver for more than 20 years.

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Year-round markets now in sight for Alberta oil total about 147,000 barrels a day.

Plans for the New McColl Frontenac $10,000,000 oil refinery are almost complete and tenders will be called soon, company president J. M. Pritchard, has announced in Edmonton.

This refinery, along with the 6,000-barrel-a-day B.A. plant, for which contracts are also expected to be let soon, will bring Edmonton refinery capacity to 32,000 barrels daily. Calgary's capacity of 15,000 barrels daily brings Alberta's total market to 47,000 barrels a day, exclusive of black oil plants at Lloydminster.

Saskatchewan, including the Imperial, B.A., Co-Op, and Highway refineries, has a capacity of 30,000 barrels or better.

Manitoba, with North Star and Home Refineries totaling 6,500 barrels, will reach 16,500 barrels when the new Imperial plant has been erected.

MAY REACH 100,000

Thus a prairie market of nearly 95,000 barrels a day is now in sight. Smaller plants and black oil marketings at Lloydminster should easily boost this figure to 100,000 barrels a day.

At the Lakehead Imperial facilities will take 70,000 barrels a day during the summer months and 10,000 barrels a day during 150 days of winter. The annual total on this basis will be about 17,000,000 barrels or 47,000 barrels a day on a year-round average.

Aircraft Makes Emergency Landing In Mercy Flight

CAMPBELL RIVER—A blinding snowstorm driven by a 35-mile wind forced a Seabee amphibian plane on a mercy flight to Cortes Island to make an emergency landing in the sea, near Seaford, a village on Cortes Island, it was learned today.

Robert Kerr, pilot, and Dr. John Depew of Lourdes Hospital, Campbell River, took off from the east coast town when they heard Monday that Mrs. J. Weaver of Cortes Island was stricken by a dangerous internal ailment and needed hospital treatment.

Visibility was poor and the aircraft was slightly damaged when it made an emergency landing in the sea. The plane was beached and the two men rushed to the aid of the woman.

Dr. Depew considered Mrs. Weaver's condition too serious to risk a sea transit to Campbell River aboard a fishpacker in a rough sea. After treating the patient, he returned to Campbell River aboard the ship. The pilot remained with the aircraft.

DOVER, Eng. — Mrs. F. E. Whittingstall, 65, retired as senior stewardess on cross-Channel steamers. She made 10,000 crossings in 21 years, never missing a trip.

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DIGGONISM: A city is a large community where people are lonesome together.

Financial Review

Wire reports of today's stock market activities:

MONTREAL—Stocks continued line-up behind minus signs on the Montreal Stock Exchange and curb market.

Utilities and papers continued to lead the selected group into lower ground. Base metals, senior oils, beverages, carriers, banks and steel comprising the other major groups followed in line.

TORONTO — Prices slumped downwards under pressure of mild selling on the Toronto Stock Exchange.

Small gold stocks contributed to a large share of the moderately heavy turnover.

Losses almost tripled gains in industrials.

NEW YORK—The stock market made a timid comeback after a gentle morning decline.

Losses, mostly fractional, remained in a heavy majority but most issues were above their lows for the day.

Neither buyers nor sellers showed much inclination to take an aggressive stand in the market.

LONDON—Strength of British government funds are the feature of the London Stock Exchange.

The recent advance was continued with persistent buying orders in a market short of stock.

Epidemic Takes 10 Natives' Lives In Far North

EDMONTON (CP)—A measles epidemic which in recent weeks has struck the Indian and Eskimo population of the Mackenzie Delta region inside the Arctic Circle, has taken three more lives, bringing the toll to 10, it was reported here today.

The information was included in a message received by Dr. W. L. Falconer, superintendent of the Charles Camsell Hospital, from a medical team from the hospital which flew north Sunday to fight the epidemic.

The school at Tuktoyaktuk was set up Monday as an emergency hospital by a nurse, Miss Parliament, from one of the two mission hospitals at Aklavik, and the teacher. Twenty measles and two pneumonia cases were moved into the hospital.

Thirty other emergency cases are being cared for in the Anglican and Roman Catholic mission hospitals at Aklavik and another emergency hospital set up by Dr. K. A. Ward of the Indian Affairs Department at Aklavik.

Only the emergency cases can be hospitalized due to extreme shortage of accommodation, but other cases are receiving clinical attention.

The medical team which left Edmonton Sunday, Dr. Pal Harvey and nurses Rita Murphy, Ruth Fadum and Dorothy Chapman, joined the fight against the epidemic when they arrived in the area Monday. They carried with them serum and other supplies.

TODAY'S STOCK QUOTATIONS

Montreal

(By James Richardson & Son)

	Bid	Asked
Can. Invest. Fund		33¾
Can. Bank of Comm.	25⅝	26
Dominion Bank		27½
Imperial Bank	30½	—
Bank of Montreal	27¼	27½
Bank of Nova Scotia	39½	39¾
Royal Bank	27¾	27⅞
Bank of Toronto	39½	39⅞
Atlas Steel	7⅞	8
Abitibi com.	21⅞	22
Do. pfd.	22⅝	22¾
Algoma Steel	14⅝	14¾
Aluminum com.	55⅝	56
Do. pfd.	26¼	—
Asbestos Corp.		26
Bathurst A	25	25½
Bell Telephone	39⅞	40
Brazilian Tract.	20½	—
B.A. Oil	26¼	26½
B.C. Forest. Prod.	2¾	3
B.C. Power A	27	28
Brown com.	3⅝	3⅞
Do. pfd.	96	97⅞
Bruck Mills A	18½	18
Do. B	7	7½
Building Prod.	30½	31
Bulolo Gold	825	925
Can. Dom. Sugar	22¼	22¾
Can. Malting	47¼	48¾
Can. Nor. Power	12¼	12½
Can. Steamships com.	15⅝	16
Do. pfd.	38	39¾
Can. Cement	35¼	35½
Can. Breweries	22⅞	—
Can. Bronze com.	21	26
Can. Car & Fdry. com.	11¼	11¾
Can. Celanese	28½	29
Can. Dredge & Dock	24½	25
Can. Indus. Alcohol	8⅝	8¾
Can. Locomotive	26⅝	27
C.P.R.	17⅛	17⅜
Can. Vickers	90	91
Cockshutt Plow	16⅝	16¾
Comm. Alcohol	2½	2¾
Cons. Paper	18⅝	18½
Consumers Glass	31	—
Distillers Seag.	30½	31
Dom. Bridge	43¾	44
Dom. Engineering	45	46
Dom. Found. & Steel	27	27½
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Eddy Paper	15½	—
Famous Players	15	15⅝
Fleet Aircraft	130	140
Ford of Can. A	24½	24¾
Fraser Co.	25½	25⅝
Gatineau Power		18½
Gen. Steel Wares	17½	17¾
Gypsum Lime	18¾	18⅞
Hamilton Bridge	12¾	13
Howard Smith	35	35¾
Imperial Oil	21½	21¾
Imperial Tobacco	14½	—
Indus. Accept.	26	—
Inter. Bronze Powder	4½	5
Inter. Nickel	32	32⅛
Inter. Paper	38¼	38½
Inter. Pete	9⅝	9⅞
Jamaica P.S.	11½	12
Lake of Woods	25½	26½
Maple Leaf com.	9⅞	10½
Massey Harris com.	24⅝	24¾
Do. pfd.	27¾	29
McColl Front. com.	15½	15¾
MacMillan A	9⅞	10
Do. B	7½	8
Mtim. & Ont. Paper	18¼	18⅝
Molson's Brew.	51	52
Moore Corp.	76	76¾
National Brew.	35	35¼
National Drug pfd.	10⅞	11¼
Ogilvie Flour	20½	21
Powell River	43¼	44
Price Bros.	64⅝	64⅞
Sick's Brew.	21	21¼
Scotham Co.	21	21½
Standard Chem.	9⅝	9½
Steel of Can.	104	105
Taylor P. & C. com.	6	6½
Do. pfd.		11
United Steel	7	7½
Walker Gooderham com.	37½	38
Winnipeg Elec. com.	34	34½

Closing Averages

Dow Jones stock averages:

30 industrials	199.62, off 0.80
20 railroads	55.15, off 0.08
15 utilities	41.65, off 0.22
65 stocks	72.53, off 0.26

Total sales, 1,250,000 shares.

Toronto averages:

Industrials	205.94, off 1.07
golds	98.60, off 0.96
base metals	110.17, off 0.60
western oils	63.55, off 1.50

Sales, 1,139,000.

Montreal averages:

industrials	140.20, off 1.30
utilities	74.70, off 1.10
golds	65.03, off 0.32
papers	363.38, off 0.69

Sales, 196,800.

New York

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

	Close
Allied Chemicals	207
American Can	111-1
American Tobacco	74-4
American Smelter	55-4
American Tel. and Tel.	148-4
Anaconda Copper	29-2
Atchison Topeka	106
B. and O. Railway	10-6
Bethlehem Steel	32-3
Canadian Pacific Railway	15-1
C. and O. Railway	30-5
Chrysler	64-6
Con. Edison	29-1
Du Pont	62-1
Eastman Kodak	46-1
Erie Railroad	11-4
General Foods	49-6
General Electric	42-3
General Motors	72-3
Goodyear Tire	45-1
Great Northern	43-1
Inter. Harvester	27-4
Inter. Paper	35
Inter. T. and T.	12-1
Inter. Nickel	28-6
Johns-Manville	47-4
Kennecott Copper	54-3
Loew's Theatre	17-3
New York Central	12-3
Norfolk and Western	50
Northern Pacific	18-2
Pacific Gas Electric	33-6
Pennsylvania Railroad	17-2
Pepsi Cola	9-6
Procter & Gamble	83-2
Radio	13-3
Republic Steel	24-3
Schenley Distillers	32-5
Standard Oil California	61-6
Standard Oil New Jersey	66-3
Sears Roebuck	42-6
Socony Vacuum	16-1
Southern Pacific	52-1
Southern California Edison	34-5
Southern Railway	35-4
Texas Co.	59-7
Union Carbide	44-1
Union Pacific	84
United Aircraft	25-7
U.S. Steel	38-1
Warner Bros.	16
Westinghouse Electric	31
Woolworth	49-6

Toronto

(By A. E. Ames & Co.)

INDUSTRIALS—	Bid	Asked
Abitibi P. and P. Co. Ltd. pfd.	22⅝	—
Aluminum Ltd.	55½	56
Alum. Co. of Canada 4% pfd.	26½	27
Ashdown Hardware A	14	14¾
Beatty Bros. com.	13¾	13½
Bell Telephone	40	40¼
Brazilian T. L. and P.	20	20⅛
B.A. Oil	25⅝	25¾
Do. pfd.	26½	26¾
B.C. Electric Co. pfd.	89	90
B.C. Power A	27¾	28
Bruck Mills	17½	—
Building Products	30½	31
Burlington Steel	14¾	15
Canada and Dominion Sugar	22¾	23
Canada Steamship Lines pfd.	38	38½
Canadian Breweries	22½	22¾
Canadian Industries Ltd.	23½	23½
Canadian Pacific Railway	17½	17⅞
Cons. M. and S.	100⅞	101⅛
Cons. Paper Corp.	18½	18⅝
Cosmos Imperial Mills	14	15
Distillers Seagram com.	20½	20¾
Dom. Bridge	43¾	44¼
Dom. F. and S. Ltd.	27⅞	27¾
Dom. Stores Ltd.	34	35
Ford A of Canada	24¾	25
Home Oil Co. Ltd.	12	12½
Imperial Oil	21½	21¾
Imperial Tobacco	14¼	14½
Do. 4% pfd.	26⅝	27
Inter. Metal Indus. 4½% pfd.	102	103
Do. Class A	27¼	27½
Inter. Nickel	31¾	32
Inter. Petroleum	9¼	9⅝
Loblaw A	31½	31¾
McColl Frontenac 4% pfd.	97¾	99
Do. com.	14½	14¾
Montreal Locomotive Works	21⅛	21¾
Monarch Knitting Coo. Ltd.	10	10¼
National Hosiery A	22	22¼
National Steel Car	20½	21¼
Page Hersey Tubes	45	45¼
Powell River Co.	43¼	43½
Russell Indus. Ltd.	18⅞	19
Shawinigan W. and P.	24½	24¾
Sheas' Breweries	15½	—
Sicks' Breweries Ltd.	—	—
Simpson's Ltd. A	29¾	29½
Do. B	26¾	26⅞
Southam Co. com.	20½	21½
Steel of Canada pfd.	104¼	105
Steel of Canada	103½	104
Union Gas	15¼	15½
United Fuel A pfd.	52	52½
Walker G. & W.	37⅞	38

(By Hagar Investments Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Akaitcho	.76	.80
Anglo-Canadian	4.25	4.30
Amalg. Larder	.16	.17
Aubelle	.05	.06
Aumaque	.12	.13
Aunor	3.20	3.30
Beatty	.55	.57
Bevcourt	.28	.30
Bidgood Kirkland	.04½	.04½
Bobjo	.13	.14
Bralorne	9.60	9.70
Broulan	.53	.54
Buffalo Addison	.15½	.17
Buffalo Ankerite	2.05	2.10
Base Metals	.29	.30
Campbell Red Lake	3.05	3.10
Castle Treth	2.40	2.45
Canadian Malartic	.62	.65
C. and E. Corp.	7.70	7.80
Central Patricia	.90	.95
Chesterville	1.52	1.60
Cochenour Willans	2.08	2.10
Coin Lake	.18	.19
Colomac	.04¾	.05¾
Conwest	1.10	1.13
Cons. Smelters	101.00	101.50
Croinor	.55	.60
Crowshore Pat.	.07	.10
Dome Mines	18.00	18.25
Duparquet	.55	.57
Duquesne	.87	.90
East Malartic	2.10	2.15
East Sullivan	4.75	4.80
Elder	.36	.39
Eldona	.36	.37
Eureka	.42	.48
Falconbridge	4.30	4.40
Froolsher	2.30	2.35
Giant Yellowknife	6.40	6.50
Gods Lake	.34	.36
Golden Man	3.05	3.10
Gulf Lead	.11	.12
Harricana	.07½	.08
Hardrock	.35	.37
Hasaga	.43	.47
Heva Cad.	.08½	.09
Hollinger	10.25	10.50
Hosco	.09½	.10
Cons. Howey Gold	.57	.63
Hudson Bay Mining	47.50	48.00
Indian Lake	.03¾	.04½
Inspiration	.41	4.3
Acadia Uranium	.48	.55
New Jason Gold	.47	.49
Joliet Quebec	.73	.74
Kerr Addison	18.25	18.50
Kirkland Lake	1.30	1.32
Labrador	4.70	4.80
Lake Duff	1.17	1.20
Lakeshore	13.25	13.50
Lamaque	6.50	6.60
Leitch Gold	1.16	1.18
Little Long Lac	.45	.50
Lingman Lake	.36	.37
Louvicourt	.16	.17
Madsen Red Lake	2.90	2.95
Macassa	2.36	2.40
Marcus	.14	.15
Malartic Goldfields	3.00	3.05
McDonald	.53	.57
McIntyre	62.50	63.00
McKenzie Red Lake	.53	.58
McLeod Cockshutt	2.31	2.33
Monela	.35	.38
Negus	1.45	1.47
Nipissing	1.15	1.20
Normetal	2.73	2.75
Northern Can.	.40	.45
Noranda	67.00	67.50
Okalta	2.00	2.10
O'Brien Gold	1.90	2.00
Orlac	.07	.08
New Calumet	1.16	1.18
Osisko Lake	1.14	1.17
Pamour Porc.	1.25	1.27
Paymaster	.31	.32
Perron Gold	.60	.63
Pickle Crow	1.80	1.85
Powell Rouyn	.85	1.00
Preston	1.80	1.85
Quemont	21.25	21.50
San Antonio	3.70	3.80
Seantor	.30	.31
Sheep Creek	1.15	1.23
Sherritt Gordon	2.00	2.03
Sigma	8.30	8.75
Siscoe Gold	.33	.37
Sladen Malartic	.70	.73
Steeprock	2.78	2.80
Sullivan	2.40	2.45
Sylvanite	1.50	1.51
Teck Hughes	2.97	3.00
Toburn	.40	.47
Trans. Cont. Resources	.55	.55
Upper Canada	2.00	3.05
Ventures	6.70	6.80
Waite Amulet	8.90	9.00
Wright Hargreaves	2.18	2.20
Lake Wasa	.57	.60
Yellowknife Bear	.82	.83

Grain

Winnipeg

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

	Open	High	Low	Close
Oats—				
May	76⅛	76⅞	76⅛	76⅞
July	73⅞	73⅞	73⅞	73⅞
October	70⅛	70⅞	70½	70⅞
Barley—				
May	117	117⅞	116⅞	117⅞
July	112⅛	112⅞	111⅞	112⅞
October	105½	106	104⅞	106
Rye—				
May	147⅞	148⅛	146⅞	146⅛
July	146⅛	147⅛	144⅛	145
October	137⅛	137⅛	136½	137
Flax—				
May	356½	356½	356½	356½
July				348

Cash Grain Close

Oats—No. 2 cw. 78¾, track 73¾.
Barley—No. 2 cw. 132½, track 113½.
Rye—No. 2 cw. 141⅞, track 141⅞.
Flax—No. 2 cw. 347, track 351.

Chicago

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
March	216⅞	217⅞	216⅞	217⅞
May	211	211⅞	210⅞	211⅞
July	191⅞	191⅞	190	191⅞
September	191⅞	191⅞	190⅛	191⅞
Corn—				
March	128	128⅛	127⅛	127⅞
May	126⅛	126⅛	125½	126
July	124⅞	125	123⅞	124⅛
September	120	120⅞	119⅛	119½
Oats—				
March	71⅞	71⅞	71⅛	71⅞
May	67⅛	67⅞	66⅞	67⅛
July	62⅞	62⅞	61½	61⅞
Rye—				
May	136⅞	137⅛	134⅛	135⅛
July	137⅛	138	135	135⅛
September	137⅞	137⅞	135⅛	136⅞
December				137½

Preferred Stocks

(By T. H. Burns & Co. Ltd.)

	¾	Bid	Asked
Abitibi ($1.50)		22½	23
Aluminum ($25 par)	4	26⅞	—
A-C Tel. ($50 par)	4½	45⅞	—
B.A. Oil ($25 par)	3¾	26⅛	26¾
B.C. Telephone	6	112½	115
Do.	4½	104	—
Blue Ribbon	3	49⅞	52
Calgary Power	4/	95	—
Can. Bronze	5	103	105½
Can. Celanese ($1.75)		37½	37⅞
Can. Utilities	5	100	103
C.W. Nat. Gas ($20 par)	4	18¾	—
Dom. Malting	5	101¼	103
Donnacona	4½	95	—
Fraser	4¾		98½
Gatineau	5½	119½	—
G.S. Wares	5	103¾	—
Howard Smith ($50 par)		49	49½
Imp. Tobacco ($25 par)	4	26¼	—
Nat. Grocers ($1.50)		28	28½
Power Corp.	6	109½	111
Price Bros.	4	90	—
Simpson's	4½	99½	100
Standard Chemical	5	89	90
Geo. Weston	4½	101	—

Canadian Bonds

(By Investment Brokers' Association)

Dominion of Canada—	Bid	Asked
VL 1 3 1951	101	101¾
VL 2 3 1954	102⅝	102½
VL 3 3 1956	102.95	103.70
VL 4 3 1957	102	102⅞
VL 5 3 1959	102⅛	102⅞
VL 6 3 1960	102¼	103
VL 7 3 1962	102⅛	102⅞
VL 8 3 1963	102⅛	102⅞
VL 9 3 1966	102¼	103
3¼ 1966	102¼	104
3¼ 1952	102⅛	102¾
3 Perp.	101¼	102¼
Dominion Guarantees—		
C.N.R. 2¾ 1969	99⅞	100⅞
Do. 2¾ 1967	98⅞	100
Do. 3 1959	101.40	102¼
Do. 3 1966	101¼	102¼
Do. 5 1954	109.40	100¼
Provincial Securities—		
British Columbia 2¾ 1966	94¼	96¼
Do. 3 1960	99¼	—
Do. 3 1964	98	—
Alberta (Internal) 3½ 1964	99½	101¼
Do. (External) 3½ 1978	109½	—
Saskatchewan 3 1963	94	96
Do. 3¼ 1962	93½	96½
Do. 4 1960	101	—
Do. 3¾ 1965	100½	—
Manitoba 2¾ 1966	95¼	—
Do. 3 1965	98½	100
Do. 4½ 1956	121⅞	—
Do. 5½ 1952	116½	—
Ontario 2¾ 1975	94	97
Quebec 2 1962	89½	100
New Brunswick 3¾ 1966	84½	90½
Nova Scotia 3 1964	99	101½
Municipal Securities—		
City Vancouver 3 1967	91½	94½
Do. 3¾ 1969	98½	101½
Do. 4 1958	101	—
Do. 5 1965	112	115
City Victoria 3¾ 1962	98	101
Van. Water Dis. 2¾ 1967	91½	—
Do. 3¾ 1964	101	—

Vancouver

(By Hagar Investments Ltd.)

OILS—	Bid	Asked
Anaconda	9	9½
Anglo-Canadian	425	435
A.P. Con.	22	25
Atlantic	150	154
British Dominion	22	25
C. & K. Corp.	760	—
Calmont	50	52
Central Leduc	139	140
Commoil	55	—
Commonwealth	130	—
Continental Oil	33	35
Dalhousie	40	42
East Leduc	—	26½
Federated Petroleum	265	270
Foothills	—	365
General Petroleum	116	123
General Petroleum A	122	—
Globe Oil	61	65
Hargal	13¼	13½
DelRio	62	64
Highwood Sarcee	6½	—
Home Oil	1200	1225
Leduc West	80	—
McDougall Segur	11	12
Mercury	9⅞	10
Model Oil	31	—
Okalta	197	200
Pacific Petroleum	450	455
Princess	38½	39
Royal Canadian	5½	6¼
Royalite	935	—
South Brazeau	11	—
Spooner	—	20
Sunset	19	21
Superior	45½	46
Vangas	20	21½
Vulcan	22	—
Pan-Western	21	35
MINES—		
Bayonne Consolidated	3½	—
Bralorne	950	955
Bridge River Con.	2½	—
B.R.X. (1935)	6	7
Canuse Caribou	9	9½
Caribou Gold	125	135
Congress	15	20
Cupum Gold	33	35
George Copper	5	7
Golconda	28½	32
Grandview	18	—
Grull Wihksne	—	2
Hedley Mascot	25	27
Highland Belle	60	62
International C. & C.	24	—
Island Mountain	—	120
Kootenay Belle	30½	33
McElligott Creek	6	—
Pacific Nickel	18	19
P.E. Gold	5	8
Pend Oreille	—	595
Pioneer Gold	315	320
Premier Border	3½	3¾
Privateer	13	—
Quatsino Copper	6	—
Red Hawke	2	2½
Reeves McDonald	245	250
Reno Gold	2⅞	—
Sheep Creek	113	117
Silbak Premier	38	39
Silver Ridge	8¼	—
Silver Standard	39½	43
Surf Inlet Gold	—	4
Taku River	11½	—
Taylor Bridge	40	—
Utica	5	6
Vanando	11½	—
Wellington	1½	2½
INDUSTRIALS—		
B.C. Forest Prod.	275	300
B.C. Turf	54	65
Burrard Drydock A	750	—
Canadian Colliers	250	—
Canadian West Lumber	350	3¾
Capital Estates	1475	1600
Coast Breweries	350	355
H. R. MacMillan A	900	—
Do. B	750	800
Pacific Coyle	—	60
Powell River	—	4400
Sun Publishing	1800	—
Westminster Paper A	850	900
Do. B	3⅞	350

Toronto Unlisted

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Amalg. Kirkland	.5	7
Bright Red Lake	1½	3
Brown McDade	3	4½
Bulldog Yellowknife	11	14
Captain	2	3
Central Man.	6	7½
Continental Oil	33	35
Cockeram Red Lake	1½	3
Crialbe	4	7
Gan Copper	6	8
Kamlac	17	20
Kenbky	4½	8
Lasalle	3½	4½
Lake Exp.	8½	10½
Male	3	5
Metalore	4	6
Mindus	14	17
Murmac	5	7
New Ang.	11	13
Norbeau	130	140
Oklend	4	5
Ordala	1½	2½
Pascalis	12	15
Payne	4	5
Rhyolite	2	3
Rich Group	4	6
Sunbear	3½	5
Young Davidson	16	19
National Malartic, old	61	65
Do. new	4½	6
Obalski	19	21
Zalesta	8	90
Radwater	6	9
Camray	7	9
Nisto	25	28
Redwood	5	7
Dickenson Red Lake, old	—	13
Do. new	33	37
Empire Pete.	9	11
Anchor	43	45
Carnegie	—	60

London Market

Quotes: Babcock & Wilcox 59s. Boots Pure Drug 47s 3d. Canadian Pacific 828. Central Mining £21½. Consolidated Goldfields 59s 4½d. Courtaulds 33s 10½d. Hudson's Bay Co. 70s 6d. Imperial Chemical 41s 3d. Metal Box 87s 6d. Mexican Eagle 16s 9d. Rand Mines 142s 6d.

Bonds: British 2½% Consols £70¾. British 3½% War Loans (91½). British Fundings 4s 1960-1990 £106¾.

Found Guilty On Junk Yard Charge

Leslie D. Foxgord, 1144 Queens Avenue, was found guilty by Magistrate H. C. Hall in city police court today on a charge of maintaining a junk yard on Queens Avenue without a permit.

Charge was laid under the city building by-law. Foxgord was ordered to return to the court in a week to give a progress report on the cleaning up of the condition.

Feb. 2 Date Set For Manslaughter Hearing

Manslaughter hearing of Donald E. C. Anderson, arising from a traffic death New Year's Eve, was set for Feb. 2 in city police court today. Charge was laid after Mrs. Winifred Irvine, 1616 Belmont Avenue, died from injuries sustained in collision with a car driven by Anderson at Pandora and Elford Street.

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Small Investor Necessary In Resources Development

By FORBES RHUDE
Canadian Press Business Editor

Are you one of the 900,000 Canadians who has savings of more than $1,000?

And have you noted the great developments of Canadian resources in recent years which promise to pay profits to someone? Have you wondered how you could use some of your savings to share in those profits?

J. W. G. Clark, executive assistant to the president of the Investment Dealers' Association of Canada, had something to say about it Monday in an address to the Rotary Club of Belleville, Ont.

First, he made it clear that he was not suggesting the get-rich-quick method that broke so many hearts and pockets in 1929.

PLAY TOO SAFE

"The sad truth," he stated, "is that too many small investors are inclined either to play too safe or to gamble away their money on moose-pastures." And he added that the investment of small savings in the development of Canada's natural resources and its industrial companies does involve a measure of risk.

But he appealed to people to study the situation and opportunities with what advice investment men can give them.

"Savings of Canadian people reach the staggering total of $4,500,000,000. A vast percentage of these 'new savers' do not know how to put their savings to work.

BECOMES A MYSTERY

"They know how to bank their savings and they have been taught how to buy Canada savings bonds. They also understand how to protect their wives and families with life insurance policies. Beyond that the business of investing their money is

I Love My Doctor

By Evelyn Barkins

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THE STORY: John and I eloped before John finished his internship at the hospital. Now John has opened an office and as secretary-receptionist-nurse I'm helping him build a practice. Patients are few and so John has invited all his friends to call socially, in view of making them want him to cure them if they're ever ill. But the office needs a greater "Dr. Kildare atmosphere," says John. "Can't we pep it up, to impress the visitors!"

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CHAPTER 15

I'M SICK of what people expect of a doctor," said John. "A medic is supposed to work from dawn to dawn with no time off for food or rest or sleep, although why anyone thinks a doctor's physical makeup is any different I don't understand. If an M.D. ever followed the routine the public set up for him, he'd be crippled at 30, and dead at 40."

"Agreed," I answered promptly "but you can't re-educate a whole world. And we've got a goal of our own." I liked to think that I was being "the dear little wife, helping her husband get on."

"All right," said John reluctantly, "well, what do we do next?"

PHONE PLOT

"In order for us to look busy," I decided, "the phone must ring much more often. Everyone to date has commented on its peculiar, unhappy silence. Now I wonder if Freda or my mother could help us out there."

They could and they would. For the third, fourth, and fifth guest nights, to the satisfaction of everyone present, our phone rang every hour on the hour (my mother) and every hour on the half (Freda), whereupon John and I went into our act.

'Dr. B's office," I would answer with special dignity, and then turn to John with a gesture implying annoyance at such constant interruption, and say, "For you."

In the expectant hush that immediately followed as he walked over, I would murmur wearily: "Patients just never let him rest. Terribly busy, terribly!"

Properly impressed the visitors would listen eagerly to his every word like G-men taking down confessional testimony from a dying man, and John, aware of his audience, would make it good.

"Mrs. Parker?" he would glibly improvise while Freda giggled on her end. "That's too bad. A hundred three, you mean four? Try some of that medicine I left last time and I'll be there in the morning."

WILL COME QUICKLY

Or else he would say, "Mrs. Jones? Yes. What's that? Right side pain? Sounds like appendix. You don't say. I'll be right over." And in this script he would get up, take his bag, leave the house, and ride five times around the block in his car.

Upon his victorious return, he would be greeted by a barrage of medical questions, and it was actually startling and fascinating, even to me, to hear detailed accounts of the different, nonexistent case reports, almost as if he were day-dreaming aloud. A perfect Freudian wish fulfillment indeed!

But though our action bore some fruit in that occasionally a well impressed visitor would turn up in the office as a patient, or sometimes refer a more distant relative, the strain of perpetuating the farce, combined with the degrading feeling of shoddiness, proved within two weeks to be too much.

One night we were in the midst of our telephone routine, when the entire system collapsed. "Mrs. Parker?" John began as usual. "That's too bad. A hundred three, you mean four, you mean six?" and at this point he lost all self-control and burst into such hearty laughter that he couldn't speak. Equally aroused, I started to laugh too, while our enraged visitors, who naturally could find no amusement in so tragic a plight, expressed their violent disapproval by a hasty departure.

THE WRONG WAY

"So don't talk to us about building a practice by socializing," John told Bob Abbott.

Bob smiled sympathetically. "I can imagine how you felt," he said. "I would too. As a matter of fact, that's why I intend to specialize. In that way, I'll get my work from doctors and never have to bow down to every Tom, Dick, and Harry patient who deigns to let me thump his precious chest. Besides, I'll be a big-shot too, and make real money."

John and I were both surprised at Bob's remarks, but while John was merely startled at this sudden announcement of his friend's intentions, I was down-right shocked. Of course, the modern trend toward specialization is old hat.

Originally, a specialist was a general practitioner who became a true expert in a chosen field. His role was that of consultant only, to be called in at the discretion of the attending physician in cases where his extra skill was required because of a difficult, technical procedure involved, or a problem diagnosis.

NOT LIKE DOCTOR

Today, it may sometimes be a young fellow like Bob, who knows little about medicine in general, and just slightly more about his specialty in particular, but is guided in his work by a love of greater prestige, higher pay and fewer working hours, while it is the public itself that is left holding the bag. Under an erroneous assumption of getting the "very best care," they cheat themselves of the psychological benefit of confidence and faith in a family physician, who is familiar with them and their problems, and settle for impersonal attention.

"Bob Abbott," I exclaimed, "you sound like a prospective stock broker, not a doctor. It's shocking!"

"Nonsense," said Bob earnestly, "I'm only being honest, instead of talking high human motives like the stuffed shirts at the hospital. And even if they don't admit it in plain English, it still adds up the same."

To Be Continued.

The Czechs and Slovaks first settled in the region they still occupy in the fifth century.

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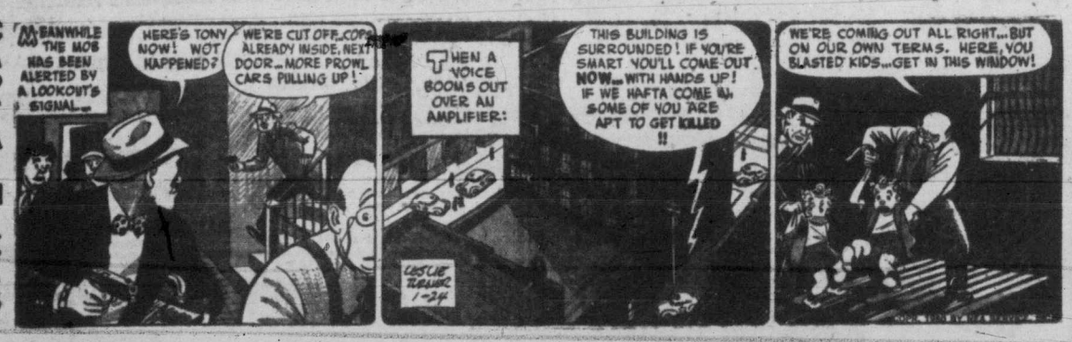

Bridge

By Wm. E. McKenney
America's Card Authority

THROW THE LEAD INTO HARMLESS HAND

The 1949 world championship mixed pair events for the Helen Pendleton Rockwell trophy was won by John R. Crawford of Philadelphia and Mrs. Margaret Wagar of Atlanta, Ga. This pair has a remarkable record in this event for the past five years. They won it in 1945, finished third in 1946, finished second in 1947 and won it in 1948 and 1949.

Mr. Crawford paid his partner a compliment when he said, "You can just sit back and relax when Mrs. Wagar is playing a hand. You know she is going to get all the tricks possible."

In today's hand the opening lead of the five of spades was won by East with the ace. A spade was returned and Mrs. Wagar (South) won the trick with the king. The ace and king of hearts picked up the outstanding trump. Mrs. Wagar led the ace of diamonds and the singleton king dropped from West's hand. She then cashed the ace of clubs.

At this point Mrs. Wagar knew that West held ten black cards. He probably held the queen of clubs, so she cashed her king of clubs. The jack of clubs was led and West was forced to win the trick with the queen.

Now West had to return a spade or a club. Either return allows Mrs. Wagar to ruff in one hand and discard her losing diamond, thus making her contract of four hearts. This was the top score as most players made the mistake of finessing the jack of clubs, which gave West an outcard.

North: ♠ Q J ♥ 10 9 8 3 2 ♦ Q 8 6 ♣ 8 6 3
West: ♠ 8 7 6 5 3 2 ♥ 6 5 ♦ K ♣ Q 10 9 7 5
East: ♠ A 10 4 ♥ J ♦ J 10 7 5 4 3 ♣ 9 4 2
South (Dealer): ♠ K 9 ♥ A K Q 7 4 ♦ A 9 2 ♣ A K J

Mrs. Wagar

Tournament—Both vul.

South	West	North	East
2 ♥	Pass	4 ♥	Pass

Opening—♠ 5

Beaver Club Party Tonight At Empress

The Hudson's Bay Beaver Club annual party at the Empress Hotel will get under way tonight at 8 with cards in the Duke of Kent Room. There will be tables of bridge, whist, cribbage and Canasta. Prizes will be given for each. Games will be continued until 10.30. At 9, dancing will start in the Crystal Ballroom to Len Acres orchestra, and continue until 1. The door prizes will be presented by C. N. Chubb, store manager, as a finale to the affair.

The grand march will take place at 9.30 sharp, with Mr. and Mrs. Chubb leading the couples. Mr. Chubb will also introduce the new Beaver executive. Also at this time Miss Maude Crawford and Alex Mitchell will receive their golf trophies, won in the ladies' and gentlemen's championship cup match for 1949. Later in the evening Miss Florence Clough will stage a small floor show.

CAPITOL THEATRE

Because "Jolson Sings again," the Columbia Technicolor picture now at the Capitol Theatre, literally is the rest of "The Jolson Story," it was inevitable that almost the entire cast of the first film would appear in the second.

Larry Parks again is starred as Jolson and William Demarest and Bill Goodwin again are his show business associates.

ROYAL THEATRE

Gary Cooper and Walter Brennan are together again in the 23rd year of their friendshp and professional association, and in their seventh picture as star and featured player, Warner Bros.' "Task Force," which is now at the Royal Theatre.

DOMINION THEATRE

Superlatives are definitely in order for "The Heiress," Paramount's film version of the Broadway stage hit, is now being shown at the Dominion Theatre. "The Heiress" chalks up another triumph for Olivia de Havilland, who plays the title role.

PLAZA THEATRE

Co-starred in "Impact," now at the Plaza, are Brian Donlevy, Ella Raines, Helen Walker and Charles Coburn.

Herbert Brenon, Old-Time Director, Returns To Movies

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Here is a different kind of story about a film veteran Hollywood passed by.

His name is Herbert Brenon and he just turned 70 last week. Among his birthday resolutions was to get back into the film industry, which he first entered in 1909.

Brenon's name means nothing to the new generation. But if your movie memories reach back to the other days, you've seen pictures he directed.

Remember Ronald Colman and William Powell in "Beau Geste"? H. B. Warner and Nils Asther in "Sorrell and Son"? Annette Kellerman in "Daughter of the Gods"?

Those were Brenon pictures. For many years he was one of Hollywood's top directors. Then, as it must happen to nearly everyone in the movies, he began to slip.

"I was 63," he recalls. "I was nearing a complete nervous break. Also, I realized that I had passed my peak. There was nothing left for me but to direct less important pictures.

WIFE'S WISDOM

"I didn't want that. One of the things that depresses me about Hollywood is to visit sets and see once-famous faces now doing bit parts or extra roles. I decided to quit."

Through the wisdom of his wife (they have been married 45 years), he had saved enough money to live comfortably. During the war he "did my bit" by working the offices at Los Angeles railroad station. The former $2,500-a-week director acted as a relief clerk.

Now 70, Brenon has been activating a Rupert Hughes mystery story which he owns. He is working on filming plans with James Wong Howe, ace cameraman whose career he started. Brenon wants to produce, not direct.

I asked him how movies of today compared with those of his era.

ASSEMBLY LINE

"Not too well," he said. Pictures today appear to be manufactured—ground out on an assembly line basis. They lack the individuality that directors of the past were allowed to inject."

We discussed the recent action of former film chief B. P. Schulberg, who pleaded for a job in ads in the film trade papers.

"I think he was unwise," the film veteran said. "The only way you can get consideration in this industry is by having something to offer that is wanted. You cannot do it by sentiment.

"You find little gratitude in any industry—and that is especially true in the motion picture industry."

Baby Tiger Bites Woman Trainer

BURBANK, Calif. (AP)—Mabel Stark, whose tiger act has thrilled circus audiences since 1912, was seriously bitten Monday as she lifted a three-months-old tiger cub from its mother's cage.

The incident took place at nearby Thousand Oaks, scene of the jungle compound where a woman lion trainer was clawed to death a month ago.

Hospital attendants indicated the wound probably will not prove fatal.

Where To Go Tonight

(As Advertised)

ATLAS—"The Red Danube," starring Peter Lawford and Angela Lansbury.

CAPITOL—Larry Parks and Barbara Hale in "Jolson Sings Again."

DOMINION—Olivia de Havilland and Montgomery Clift in "The Heiress."

FOX—"Submarine Patrol," starring Richard Greene.

OAK BAY—"His Girl Friday," starring Cary Grant.

ODEON—"Mrs. Mike," starring Dick Powell and Evelyn Keyes.

PLAZA—Brian Donlevy in "Impact."

ROYAL—Gary Cooper and Jane Wyatt in "Task Force."

STARTING TIMES

ATLAS—2.36, 9.17, 5.54.

CAPITOL — 1.12, 3.15, 5.18, 7.21, 9.24.

DOMINION—1.00, 3.05, 5.10, 7.15, 9.25.

FOX—6.45, 9.00. Saturday, 1 p.m.

OAK BAY—Doors 6.30.

PLAZA—2.00, 4.34, 7.08, 9.42.

ODEON—1.03, 3.09, 5.15, 9.21, 9.30.

ROYAL—1.37, 4.10, 6.43, 9.19.

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Today's Crossword Puzzle

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1, 4 Depicted radio master of ceremonies
11 Too
12 More ill at ease
14 Sower
16 Contrary
17 Mexican coins
18 Build
19 "Coyote State" (ab.)
20 Pronoun
21 Pigpen
24 Observe
26 Of the thing
27 Transpose (ab.)
28 Babylonian deity
29 East Indies (ab.)
30 Through
31 Moccasin
33 Medical suffix
34 —— handles a quiz show
36 Stone writing tables
40 Fortification
42 Masseur
45 Body of land
46 Pilferers
48 Parts of circles
49 Hearing distance
50 Born

VERTICAL

1 Loses blood
2 Employs
3 Extinct bird
4 Mongrel
5 Preposition
6 Meadow
7 Wash
8 Belgian river
9 "Emerald Isle"
10 Save
11 Snakes
13 Rots flax by exposure
15 Electrical unit
22 Woody plant
23 Period of time
24 Pace
25 Assam silkworm
30 Roof of the mouth
32 Hazard
33 Doctrines
35 Concludes
37 On the ocean
38 Former Russian ruler
39 Lampreys
40 Rupees (ab.)
41 Ardor
42 Challenge
44 Western alkali
45 Devotee
47 Universal language

ANSWERS TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

Insurance Rates Down In Edmonton

EDMONTON (BUP)—Fire insurance rates will go down in Edmonton Feb. 1.

The president of the Edmonton Insurance Agents' Association, Jack Weber, made the disclosure. He said firms belonging to the Western Canada Insurance Underwriters' Association will put the reduction in effect.

The drops will range from 5 per cent for brick dwellings to 30 per cent for dwellings not served by fire hydrants.

ODEON THEATRE

Girls! Are you at least 18 years old? Are you in perfect physical condition? Are you of unquestionable moral character and of impeachable family background?

If the answers to the above are "yes," then you could have married a Royal Canadian Mounted Policeman in 1907, like "Mrs. Mike," now being shown at the Odeon Theatre.

CONTINUES ANCIENT TRADITION—At the opening of the winter assizes in Hamilton recently, Frank Bingham, deputy sheriff of Wentworth County, Ont., wore the traditional black hat and carried the sword of his office by order of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court. Although the practice of wearing the hat and carrying the sword has been discontinued at many assizes, it was revived in Hamilton some years ago and the tradition is being rebuilt.

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Watson Out—Buchanan In

Toronto Maple Leafs lost the services of winger Harry Watson when he crashed into a goal post in practice. Watson suffered a badly bruised left hip bone and kidney injury. Al Buchanan was brought up from Toronto Marlboros seniors to bolster the left wing. Al played a couple of games with the Leafs last season.

Hockey Scores

W.C.S.H.L.
Regina 2, Edmonton 16.
S.C.J.H.L.
Lethbridge 7, Moose Jaw 6.
MANITOBA JUNIOR
Winnipeg Black Hawks 3, Winnipeg Monarchs 1.
NORTHERN SASK. JUNIOR
Flin Flon 3, Saskatoon 5.
MARITIME SENIOR
Amherst 2, Moncton 11.
Halifax 3, Saint John 9.

College Cagers Edge Eight Aces; Elks Take Title

St. Louis College defeated Eight Aces, 34 to 30, in the feature game at the High School gym last night to qualify for the right to meet the same club in the intermediate A men's league semi-final playoffs.

The Collegians and Elks finished in a tie for second place in the six-team loop but the College gained second place rating virtue of a better team scoring average. In the other semi-final Vic High Totems, league champions, will meet Elks.

A mid-game spurt gave the College quintette its four-point win, the Aces rallying strongly in the final period, but a 15-point margin was too much to overcome.

Aces led 11 to 9 at the end of the first quarter, St. Louis moving in front 16 to 11 at the half and increasing the margin to 28 to 17 at the close of the third stanza. Winners' biggest margin of the evening was 34 to 19 in the fourth quarter.

John Clarkson topped the scorers of both clubs with 17 points.

Elks' intermediate B boys squad took first place in that league by whipping Mount Tolmie, 28 to 16. Chinese Students nipped Vampires, 29 to 27, in a junior boys game.

Teams and scorers follow:

Eight Aces—Acreman 7, Smith, Mackie 6, Boyd 9, Minnis 6, Nash, Nicholson 2.
St. Louis College—O'Shea, Saunders, Player 5, B. Clarkson 4, J. Clarkson 17, Dagg, Jackman, Kennedy 6, Callan 2.
Elks—Saunders 6, Jackson 4, Allen 3, Bamford, McMillan 6, Adams, Shields 1, Hunter, Anderson 6.
Mount Tolmie—Bennett 4, F. Ball 1, Skillings 6, J. Ball 2, Cornish, Pederson 3.
Vampires—Pillion 3, Harrison 13, Peterson, Ash 2, Stewart 2, Price, Worthy 7.
Chinese Students—Derr 8, Lowe 6, Lou Poy 2, Quan 5, Lou 6, Leong, Lore 1.

WINNIPEG HOCKEY

WINNIPEG (CP) — Winnipeg Black Hawks last night strengthened their hold on second-place in the Manitoba Junior Hockey League by trouncing the third-place Winnipeg Monarchs.

NEWARK, N.J.—Tommy Bell, 151, Youngstown, Ohio, outpointed Tony Riccio, 153½, Bayonne, N.J. (10).

Royals Face Jinx In Battle With Cougars

Still suffering from a serious player shortage due to injuries, but nevertheless playing good hockey, Victoria Cougars take on the league-leading New Westminster Royals at the Memorial Arena tonight at 8.30.

The club was unfortunate in losing three week-end games by one goal and deserved a better fate, according to business manager Fred Hutchinson who made the road trip to Tacoma and Portland with the team.

In previous home games with Babe Pratt's Royals the locals have more than held their own and haven't lost a game to the defending northern division champions on Arena ice since the first visit of the New Westminster squad Oct. 14.

The record since that time shows Cougars with two wins and two ties against the league leaders.

Tonight also marks the return to action of Murray Richardson, who has been out of the line-up for two months suffering from a broken wrist. Richardson was purchased from Fresno Falcons shortly before he broke his arm.

DOROHOY DOUBTFUL

Roy McKay and Eddie Wares will both miss the game while the playing status of Eddie Dorohoy is still in doubt.

McKay is probably out for the year, while Wares is slated to return to the club in about two weeks. Dorohoy was scheduled to have another session with the club doctor today and just might get into the game.

If Dorohoy plays the club will strip 14 men, otherwise 13 players will carry the load.

From Seattle comes word that the Ironmen have released Len Mutcheson. The left winger was purchased early in the season from Vancouver Canucks.

Down south playoff arrangements for the southern division teams were announced.

If the fourth-place club winds up within six points of the third-place club, all four clubs will participate in the playoffs. However, if the last-place team ends its schedule seven or more points behind the third-place unit, only the top three teams will enter the post-season play and the right to meet the northern division champions ni the P.C.H.L. final.

Family Program On Orphans' Ice Show

It's "Family Night" at the Memorial Arena Feb. 8 with all proceeds to the B.C. Protestant Orphanage Home and the Victoria Minor Hockey Association.

The big show is being sponsored by the city police and firemen and will feature just about everything there is to feature.

Proceedings start at 8 with the Naval Band rendering the "Maple Leaf Forever" followed by the presentation of a bouquet to the Orphan's Home matron.

Then at 8.10 a broom ball game will take place with Minor Hockey Association players to follow for another 10-minute period.

"The Policeman and the Maid," a comedy skit featuring Charlie DeMacede and Alec McCormick will commence at 8.30. Following this act will be a throwback from the Ice Follies presented by the Navy entitled: "Snow Drop and the Seven Drips."

Second half of the show includes a performance by the Victoria Girls Drill Team, the first public appearance of the Victoria Figure Skating Club, a display by the Pro Rec group, an obstable race, another broom ball game and to top off the evening a tug-of-war between the Police and Firemen.

Ronald Behnson and Roy Woolsey are co-chairman of the show. Other executive members are: Dave Donaldson, secretary; Henry Jarvis and Alf Adamson in charge of tickets, Jim Tang, director of publicity, and Pete Sallaway, master of ceremonies.

Indian Hoop Squad To Play Vic High Totems Here Friday

The Victoria High School Totems will stack up against what is expected to be their stiffest competition from another high school basketball squad this week-end when they engage the Neah Bay Red Devils from Washington in a home-and-home exhibition series.

The visting squad, composed mainly of Indian hoop stars, have been Peninsula High School League titlists for the past three years. Their record includes only one defeat in three seasons. They are currently at the top of the loop again this year with four wins and no setbacks to date. Neah Bay is located near Cape Flattery, the most northwesterly point in the state of Washington.

First game of the series will be played at the Victoria High gym on Friday night, commencing at 9, and the locals will make a return trip on Saturday.

As an added attraction, a group of Indians will present a "Mahkah War Dance" preceding the fixture. Laurie Wallace, co-coach of the Totems, announced that a preliminary fixture will be billed at 8.

Minor Hockey Games

Games scheduled in the Minor Hockey Association this week follow:

Tuesday, 10.30 p.m.—Junior, Royals vs. Maroons.

Thursday, 7 p.m.—Juvenile, Maroons vs. Senators; 8.30, junior, Navy vs. Nanaimo.

Saturday, 6.15 a.m.—Juvenile, Hawks vs. Bears; 7.15, midget, Bruins vs. Cubs; 8, midget, Maroons vs. Capitals; 9, bantam, Capitals vs. Bruins; 10, bantam, Maroons vs. Cubs; 11, bantam, Royals vs. Senators.

BALTIMORE—Sammy Angott, 143¾, Washington, Pa., T.K.O.'d Clem Custer, 139, Detroit (8).

Alberni Cagers To Bring Own Baskets?

Remember last year's island cage playoff between Alberni and Y.M.C.A. with all its ramifications and squabbles?

Well, indications are that another feud is brewing for this year's final.

The report is that Alberni officials, still bitter about the broken basket episode at the Victoria High School gym, will bring two baskets to Victoria when the Alberni squad invades the city Feb. 24 and 25.

If such a report is true, the Alberni contingent had better come equipped with wrenches, brace and bit and nuts and bolts as well. 'Cause maybe their baskets won't fit the High School boards!

Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

THE WOLVES are howling. With the Victoria Cougars in the cellar of the Coast Hockey League's northern division the fans are starting to hurl criticism. The other day I was cornered by Alfred Phelps (he's a season ticket holder) and subjected to the works. "It's about time you sharpened that pencil and started giving that hockey club and its officials a good blast," were his opening remarks. "All we got was a second division ball club last summer and now a last-place hockey team. Well, it's not good enough, considering the support the two pro sports have received. I didn't think Lester Patrick would do it to us."

AFTER attempting to get into the word exchange by explaining that after all the Cougars had to start from scratch and too much could not be expected the first season, Phelps was off again. "Don't give me that. Our club is the only one that has failed to show improvement as the season advanced. Every other team in the league has come on while the Cougars are no better now than at the start of the campaign back in October." By this time I thought Phelps had run down but that was my misake. "And you can tell Patterson (that's the business manager of the Athletics ball club) he had better come up with a winning ball club next summer, otherwise the fans are going to start staying away. A first division ball team is a must. "We're sick and tired of excuses."

REACTION of the Victoria fans drew comment the other night from Jimmy Ward, coach of the Portland Penguins. "I can't understand the sports fans of today," he remarked. "On our last appearance we blanked the Cougars and at the start of the third period some of the fans booed the Victoria players as they returned to the ice. Yet your club has played good hockey at home and the customers have suffered through mighty few poor games. Just seems that everybody expects a winner. You don't build a championship club the first season. It's usually a four or five-year proposition."

"DOC" DARBYSHIRE who spends the summer months campaigning race horses on British Columbia tracks, writes in with some information on Your Host, winner of the $50,000 San Felipe Handicap at the Santa Anita track Saturday. "By his victory Your Host established himself as one of the outstanding three-year-olds on the continent," Darbyshire claims. "He is a chestnut foaled in 1947 and was bred by Louis B. Mayer of California. And Your Host again proves the fallacy of the old saying 'no good horse ever has four white legs.' By his nominations his breeders considered him a sprinter, his only listed engagements being the Preakness in 1950 and the Santa Anita Maturity in 1951. It will be necessary to make supplemental nominations to make him eligible for the Derbys. He looks like the west's best prospect for the Kentucky Derby since On Trust."

Scots' Hospitality Rough On Our Touring Curlers

AYR, Scotland (CP)—Canada's chances of regaining the Strathcona Cup, emblematic of Scottish-Canadian curling supremacy, appear black.

With three of five test matches already played, Scotland has piled up a 66-point margin. The Scots won the first match by 42 points, lost the second by three and won the third by 27. The next match is Jan. 27-28.

The "secret weapon" in the Scots' armory perhaps isn't curling as much as good old Scottish hospitality.

Not that the Canadians have been overdoing it—? but the canny Scots have been playing it sly.

Except for Sundays, both Canadian A and B teams have had two strenuous ice session a day since they arrived early this month—topped off with a banquet every night.

They seldom get to bed before 1 a.m. and have to be back on the ice by 10 a.m. the next day. And often their hosts of the day, without a match on the morrow, can stay in bed late.

One old Scots curler remarked: "I've never met a soberer crowd o' curlers in 59 years o' playing the game—and dammit, they're guid curlers."

Johnny Bratton To Fight Again

CHICAGO (UP) — A doctor who studied X-rays of Johnny Bratton's fractured jaw said today that the welterweight boxer probably will be able to fight again.

Dr. Arno Leshin said that Bratton, who twice has suffered broken jaws, "definitely does not have a brittle jaw."

He said the break which occurred last Friday night in a bout with Ike Williams was not in the same place where the jaw was broken two years ago when Bratton fought Beau Jack.

PROVIDENCE, R.I.—Georgia Araujo, 125¾, Providence, R.I., knocked out Timothy "Buddy" Hayes, 125¾, Boston (2).

Lindsay-Abel In Great Duel For Scoring Title

MONTREAL (CP)—Left-winger Ted Lindsay of Detroit again is in sole possession of the National Hockey League scoring leadership—although by a slim margin.

The fiery winger boasts 17 goals and 31 assists for a total of 48 points, one point more than teammate Sid Abel who has 24 goals and 23 assists.

Abel, Detroit team captain, climbed into a first-place tie with Lindsay last week after the latter had held top spot for 10 consecutive weeks.

Following week-end games, Lindsay gained a narrow lead on his teammate. Lindsay also is leader in the field of assists with three more than Chicago's Doug Bentley who is second with 28 assists.

Maurice (The Rocket) Richard, Montreal right-winger, is in third position of the individual-scoring list with 40 points—25 goals and 15 assists.

Biggest threat to Richard's 25-goal record is Abel who has 24.

Tied in fourth place are Boston's Paul Ronty and Chicago's Roy Conacher with 38 apiece.

Toronto's goalie Turk Broda counted his sixth goose-egg during the week to cut down the lead of big Bill Durnan of Montreal who has seven shutouts. Durnan has the best goals-against record in the league—91 in 43 games.

GADSBY BAD MAN

Bill Gadsby of Chicago remains leader in the league's penalty division having spent 99 minutes in the cooler.

League-leading Detroit Red Wings and Montreal Canadiens will make minor history Thursday and Saturday when the teams play two successive games in the Canadian metropolis—a thing that never happened before in N.H.L. history.

The Habitants continue to hold firm onto second spot in the league standings with 47 points, nine behind Detroit.

Toronto Maple Leafs copped three of their last four tilts and moved into third place with 43, three more than the slipping New York Rangers who dropped six games in a row.

Boston Bruins are fifth with 38 and cellar-dwelling Chicago Black Hawks trail with 34.

Scoring leaders follow:

	G.	A.	Pts.	Pen. Min.
Lindsay, Detroit	17	31	48	73
Abel, Detroit	24	23	47	24
Richard, Montreal	25	15	40	57
Ronty, Boston	17	21	38	8
R. Conacher, Chicago	15	23	38	4
Howe, Detroit	16	21	37	41
D. Bentley, Chicago	9	28	37	20
Mosienko, Chicago	13	21	34	4
Prystai, Chicago	20	13	33	23
Laprade, New York	16	17	33	2

GOALKEEPERS' RECORD

	GP	GA	S.	Avg.
Durnan, Montreal	43	91	7	2.12
Lumley, Detroit	35	77	5	2.20
Sawchuk, Detroit	7	16	1	2.28
Rayner, New York	42	98	3	2.33
Broda, Toronto	43	114	6	2.65
Mayer, Toronto	1	2	0	2.00
Rollins, Toronto	1	4	0	4.00
Gelineau, Boston	44	139	3	3.16
Brimsek, Chicago	43	140	2	3.35

Penalties In Minutes By Clubs

Toronto	466
Montreal	429
Detroit	423
Chicago	405
New York	393
Boston	359

Silver Gloves Mitt Tournament Set For Armories Feb. 18

Vancouver Island Silver Gloves boxing tournament will be held in the Armories, Feb. 18, Vic Lea, publicity chairman for the Kinsmen Club, co-sponsors of the event, announced Monday.

The tourney, under the direction of the Vancouver Island Boxing Association, will have an age limit of 16 years with regular weight divisions and special classes.

Divisional winners will advance to the B.C. Silver Gloves which will take place at the Armories March 4.

A tune-up for participants will take place at the Sirocco Saturday night when the North Ward Club sponsors a 10-bout card.

Scheduled to see action on the program are Richard Saunders, John McLeod, Harry Millard, Pat Steele, Frank Copley, Robin Copley and Steve Carter. Starting time is 8.

Seek To Withhold Information From Florida Bookies

TALLAHASSEE, Fla., (AP)—Attorney-General Richard Ervin Thursday asked all news services operating in Florida to hold up racing information for half an hour after each race in an effort to "hinder and delay" bookmaking operations.

He said in a form letter there is no law directly requiring news agencies to hold up its race news reports but "if such procedure is agreed to, it will further the objectives of the state's anti-bookie act."

"Our investigation indicates that bookmakers are making use of leaks from or bootlegging of racing information from legitimate wire service facilities furnishing racing information," he said.

Hockey Standings

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.	T.	F	A.	Pts
Coach Lines	9	2	3	64	36	21
Douglas Tire	9	3	2	46	26	20
Navy	8	4	2	52	28	18
Hotelmen	4	7	3	42	55	11
Civil Service	4	8	2	37	56	10
B.O.P.	2	12	0	36	76	4

CAPE BRETON SENIOR

North Sydney 8, Glace Bay 4.

Irene Strong Winner Of Beatty Swim Award

VANCOUVER (CP)—Irene Strong has been named Canadian swimmer of the year, it was learned today.

Ben McNamee, secretary of the British Columbia Amateur Swimming Association, said he has been told that the 21-year-old Vancouver girl has won the Sir Edward Beatty trophy.

Miss Strong currently is in New Zealand for the British Empire Games starting Feb. 4. Its the second time she has won it.

She was runner-up for the Rose Bowl trophy awarded by the Women's Athletic Association of Canada and was named outstanding woman athlete of 1949 by Canadian sport writers.

Douglas Tire Edges V.I.C.L. In Thriller

Majority of the 1,029 persons at the Memorial Arena went home a little disappointed last night.

Although the weather was cold outside at 11.30, that was not the main reason for the sadness. The pro-Coach Lines crowd, hoping to see their pride and joy come through their 10th straight game without a defeat, watched Douglas Tire pull to within a single point of the Commercial Hockey League lead by upsetting the transitmen 2 to 1 in a thriller.

Another upset was marked up during the lengthy program as Mike Leahman's cellar-dwelling B.O.P. sextette pulled off its second win of the season at the expense of the Hotelmen 3 to 2. The third game almost ended in an upset also as the Navy had to come from behind to capture a 4 to 3 decision from Civil Service.

Tight defensive play featured the battle between the two top-place squads with goalies Ab Ellis of the Tiremen and John Dorey of Coach Lines turning in sparkling performances.

Walt Jensen rifled the only score of the first period when he converted Ernie Pearce's pass to give winners a 1 to 0 lead. Jimmy Neilson, stellar Coach Lines' defenceman, received a stick in the face during the first frame and had to have the ugly gash stitched up, but returned to the fold in the final period.

Tying goal was a sizzler. Defenceman Harry Harris grabbed the rubber near the blue line and sent a knee-high blazer across the ice which found its way through a maze of players to lodge in the net. Vic Feasey drew an assist. At 8.35 in the closing canto, Frank Warshawski broke away, passed to Ken Gunter in front and the latter made no mistake.

LAST-SECOND SCORE

Turning in a vastly different performance over last week, goalie Reg Meeres rose to spectacular heights in the B.O.P. cage to lead his squad to its second win over the Hotelmen. To most fans, the score was 3 to 1, but to make it official the Hotelmen sliced the margin to a single goal in the last second of play, 19.59.

Individual star of the Papermakers' win, along with Meeres, was hard-working Gordie Parks. The persistent left-winger blasted home two goals, one on a solo effort and the other on a play set up by Bob McConechy.

The Navy had its hands full with the Civil Service outfit. After Del Brown and Les Corby gave the sailors a 2 to 0 first period lead, Bob Shepherd and Jim Gordon scored two quick goals in the late stages of the middle session to tie it up. Smith soloed to put losers in front, 3 to 2 early in the finale, but with four minutes remaining, Ivan Wood took Cliff Coulter's pass to beat goalie Archie Shold and two minutes later, Doug Johnson notched the winner, finishing off a double passing play started by Wood and Steve Harris.

Summaries follow:

COACH LINES 1—DOUGLAS TIRE 2

First Period—1, Douglas Tire, Jensen (Pearce), 5.42. Penalties, Oberg, Gunter, Clarke.

Second Period—2, Coach Lines, Harris (Feasey), 12.12.

Third Period—3, Douglas Tire, Gunter (Warshawski), 8.35. Penalties: Gunter, Harris, Reynolds, Warshawski, Halverson.

NAVY 4—CIVIL SERVICE 3

First Period—1, Navy, Brown, 1.27; 2, Navy, Corby, 14.19.

Second Period—3, Civil Service, Shepherd (Jenkins), 12.35; 4, Civil Service, Gordon (Shepherd, Younger-Lewis), 13.15.

Third Period—5, Civil Service, Smith, 2.30; 6, Navy, Wood (Coulter), 15.57; 7, Navy, Johnson (Wood, Harris), 17.56. Penalty: Bellavie.

B.O.P. 3—HOTELMEN 2

First Period—1, B.O.P., Larochelle, 2.36.

Second Period—2, B.O.P., Parks, 4.21; 3 Hotelmen, Lucas (Scott), 8.30.

Third Period—4, B.O.P., Parks (McConechy), 12.30; 5, Hotelmen, B. Jensen (Gallant), 19.59. Penalties: Rose, Burrows.

Edmonton Merks Suffer Initial Defeat Of Tour

LONDON (CP) — Edmonton Mercurys Monday night absorbed the first defeat of their pre-championship tours, taking a 5 to 1 drubbing from a fast-skating Streatham squad.

The Mercurys appeared listless after two tough games with Wembley last week and were never in contention. The Mercury's are Canada's entry in the world hockey championships to be held here March 13-22.

The star of the match was Streatham goalie Keith Woodall of Elmira, Ont., who blanked the Merks until the 54th minute.

Dave Miller of Edmonton and Mike Yaschuck of Winnipeg both scored for Streatham in the first period. The locals piled on three more goals in the second session. Captain Doc Broderick of Montreal, Paddy Ryan of Regina and George Drysdale of Toronto—the last on a brilliant solo rush—were the marksmen.

Dawe finally scored the visitors' lone counter after a scramble in the crease. Then Woodall again took command until the final whistle.

Local Club To Be Congratulated On Staging Of Pro Tennis Match

Appearance of Pancho Gonzales and Jack Kramer in Victoria Jan. 30 is certainly a feather in the cap of the Victoria Lawn Tennis and Badminton Club, as it marks the first such showing of the professional troupe, of which they are members, in the Dominion.

It is also a break for the Victoria Club that Gonzales has recently been winning from the present professional champion. Perhaps the well-publicized remark made by Kramer that "Gonzales doesn't appear to be learning anything" may have stung the former U.S. amateur king.

At any rate Gonzales has been cutting into Kramer's huge lead lately now and appears to be coming into his own.

The pros will bring their court to the city a canvas affair which will be stretched over the wooden floor of the Victoria Club building giving the court a lightning-fast surface.

This should be of advantage to Gonzales who is the smashing type of player.

Local officials also have hopes of promoter Bobby Riggs performing in the doubles match although this is not confirmed as yet.

Other members of the troupe are Pancho Segura, the two fisted swinger, and Frankie Parker, one of the top U.S. stars of the past decade.

The program consists of three matches: Segura against Parker; Gonzales against Kramer and a doubles match in which pairings have not yet been announced. All will be the best-of-three set matches. Play will start at 7.30.

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New Westminster vs. Victoria—8.30 p.m.
Minor Hockey League—10.30 to 11.30 p.m.
Wednesday, January 25
V.F.S.C.—6 to 7.30 a.m.
Royal Roads College—7.30 to 9 a.m.
Fire Fighters League—12 to 1 p.m.
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Young autograph seekers keep Lefty Grove busy at the Cumberland, Md., Police Boys' Club dinner. The left-hand pitcher who scaled the heights with the Philadelphia Athletics and finished with the Boston Red Sox talked and showed movies.

Stan Leonard Finishes Second To Win $1,400

LONG BEACH, Cal. (UP)—Easy-going Fred Haas Jr. said today his change to cross-hand putting made the difference in the game that gave him first prize of $2,000 in the Long Beach invitational golf tournament, his second victory of the young winter season.

He won the $10,000 event at Lakewood Country Club yesterday with a final round of 65 for a total of 268. Stan Leonard, Vancouver, B.C., took $1,400 second-place money with 273. Earlier he won the Miami Open.

Haas took the lead after three days with a 203 and not only held up under pressure but made his best score of the tournament. He was not worried, he said, because "you are always under pressure in this game."

Leonard who had 204 after three rounds, followed through with a two-under-par 69 yesterday. Others at 204 Sunday were Cary Middlecoff of Memphis, Jim Ferrier of San Francisco and Smiley Quick of Culver City, Calif.

TIE FOR THIRD

Middlecoff, showing some of the form that made him U.S. Open champion last year, shot 274 and tied for third with Al Brosch of Garden City, N.Y. Each received $900.

Ferrier, former P.G.A. champion, and Quick tied for fifth place with Marty Furgol of Albuquerque, N.M., and collected $606.66 apiece.

Haas birdied six holes. He could have coasted to victory but sank a 15-footer on the 15th hole for a birdie three and recovered from a bunker off the 18th green for another bird.

On the ninth, his ball was almost buried in a sand trap, but he blasted out to par the hole with a three. On the 10th and 12th holes he sank putts of 15 and 12 feet. His final score of 268 was 16 under par.

He was leaving today for the Phoenix, Ariz., Open but would not predict the outcome.

"I am just going out to play some golf," he drawled. "You never know what is going to happen out there."

SNEAD WELL DOWN

Sam Snead had been picked to win the Long Beach event after his first place tie at Pebble Beach and victory over Ben Hogan in the Los Angeles Open but was only two strokes into the money with 277. He collected $158.

Jack Harden of El Paso, Tex., held the lead after the first round of play with a 62, half of it shot in a dense fog, but folded and followed his new course record with a six-over-par 77. His final 277 tied him at 14th place with Snead.

Important Meeting For Cage Managers

A meeting of prospective city champion basketball club managers and coaches will be held in the Victoria High School Wednesday night at 8.

Intricate points in connection with island and provincial playoff games will be discussed.

All concerned are urgently requested to attend this meeting as financial responsibility and particulars of travel for championship contenders more seriously affect clubs this year than before.

CANADA CHALLENGES

MONTREAL (CP) — Canada Sunday filed a challenge for the Davis Cup with the United States Lawn Tennis Association, again entering play in the North American zone. The Canadian Lawn annual meeting in Montreal Tennis Association will hold its Feb. 18.

In ancient times rams were fitted to a vessel's bow to sink enemy ships.

Adam Challenges For Hockey Scoring Lead

Although the big news from the Pacific Coast Hockey League headquarters in Seattle this week is the fact that Tacoma's Doug Adam has pulled up to within one point of the northern division's leading scorer, Alan Kuntz of Vancouver, local hockey fans are probably more interested in how the individual members of the Cougars are faring in the point parade.

For those who are interested, however, Kuntz has 64 points, 28 of which are goals, while the hard-pressing Adam has 43 goals and 20 assists for 63 points.

Big Eddie Mazur is still the number one man for Eddie Wares' proteges, with a total of 42 points. Larry Thibeault, popular left-winger, is in the runner-up slot with 37 points, one ahead of Georges Bougie and Joe Evans.

Evans, who has been picking up points right and left in the last few games, leads the Cougars in the play-making department with 22 assists, while Mazur tops the goal-scoring column with a like number of rallies. Blond-thatched Tom Rockey is the bad man for the locals with 80 minutes against him in the penalty box.

Cougar scorers follow:

	G.	A.	Pts.	Pen. Min.
Eddie Mazur	22	20	42	11
Larry Thibeault	18	19	37	34
Georges Bougie	18	18	36	59
Joe Evans	14	22	36	10
Roy McKay	17	17	34	14
Eddie Dorohoy	15	16	31	23
Bernie Strongman	10	19	29	12
Fiori Goegan	7	14	21	42
Russ Kopak	7	12	19	7
Tom Rockey	6	13	19	80
Jack McIntyre	8	8	16	6
Eddie Wares	5	11	16	6
Eddie Marineau	7	7	14	60
George Robertson	1	6	7	4
Murray Richardson	3	3	6	6

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Bill Cowley Quits As Renfrew Coach

RENFREW, Ont. (CP)—Bill Cowley, former star centre of Boston Bruins, resigned today as coach of Renfrew Lions in the Eastern Ontario Senior Hockey League.

He was replaced by Joffre Deslets who played in the National Hockey League with Montreal Canadiens and Chicago Black Hawks. Cowley resigned to take a job in Ottawa with the department of lands and forests.

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Alberta Varsity Ice Squad Wins Clash With U.B.C.

VANCOUVER (CP)—The University of Alberta Golden Bears fought back Monday night to pin a 3 to 2 overtime defeat on the University of British Columbia Thunderbirds in the third contest of the four-game Hamber Hockey Cup series.

The defeat was the first in six games for the Birds, who earlier edged Alberta 3 to 2 and 5 to 4.

Bill McQuay fired the winner with only 59 seconds of the extra period left. The teams were prepared to go into sudden-death overtime if necessary.

British Columbia took a 2 to 0 lead in the first period on goals by Drake and Mike Hodgert, the latter on a solo effort, before Bill Dockery got one back late in the first.

Drake's score came as Birds were two men short.

The second period was scoreless, but early in the third, Cox converted Dockery's relay for the equalizer.

World Champ Yanks Have Their Problems

NEW YORK (AP)—The world champion New York Yankees are not sitting as pretty as some would like to have you believe.

Those quotes coming out of the front office: "We don't need trades, the Yankees already have the best," hardly explain why the Yankees tried so desperately to wrest first-baseman Eddie Robinson and pitcher Rae Scarborough from Washington Senators last December.

There is no doubt that things appear far better now than a year ago at this date, but that doesn't mean the Yankees have no problems. Manager Casey Stengel—never one to kid himself—realizes that several questions must be answered before he knows whether the Yankees can repeat in 1950.

Casey still doesn't know how many games Joe DiMaggio will play next season. His first-base situation is in doubt. Will it be Johnny Mize, Joe Collins, Fenton Mole, Billy Johnson or will he be forced to draft Tommy Henrich from the outfield? How much would that weaken the outfield?

Will Jerry Coleman, the brilliant young Rookie of 1949, fall victim to the sophomore jinx? Will Tommy Byrne finally overcome his wildness? And what about Joe Page? Can the gifted relief pitcher perform his near-miracles of '49?

Then there is the inevitable question, just how much have Boston Red Sox, Cleveland Indians, Detroit Tigers and other contenders strengthened themselves while the Yankees have been standing pat?

MAKE ONE DEAL

The Yankees have made only one player transaction since whipping Brooklyn Dodgers in the world series. They acquired outfielder Dick Wakefield, Detroit's problem child, in exchange for rookie first-baseman Dick Kryhoski. Wakefield presents an enigma. He can bring the Yankees another flag if he repeats his .355 batting mark of 1944. Or he can hurt the Yankees considerably with another one of those .202 flops of 1949. But "It is silly to worry over something that might never be," Stengel says. "I have high hopes."

Fielder Sets Pace In Lethbridge Win

MOOSE JAW, Sask. (CP) — Guyle Fielder, leading goal-getter of the Western Canada Junior Hockey League, had a field day last night, picking up two goals and two assists.

His Lethbridge Native Sons teammates edged Moose Jaw Canucks, 7 to 6, to widen their lead in the standings to eight points. Moose Jaw remains in second place, nine points up on Regina Pats.

Sons almost paid the penalty for coasting on a seemingly-cinched game. Leading 5 to 2 at the end of the second, Fielder answered Canuck's marker early in the third with a pair for a convincing 7 to 3 edge.

But Canucks were far from beaten. They rapped in three within seven minutes in the last half of the period to pull themselves within one goal of tying it up. At the end of the period they were still sniping at Rodzinyak's cage.

Prairie Racing Dates Announced

WINNIPEG (CP)—The 1950 western Canadian prairie racing circuit will open at Calgary May 20, the Prairie Thoroughbred Breeders' and Racing Association announced today.

The entire circuit will comprise 81 racing days, closing at Winnipeg Sept. 16.

Dates of the various meets are: Exhibition Grounds, Calgary, May 20-June 5; Polo Park, Winnipeg, June 17-July 3; Calgary Exhibition and Stampede July 8-15; Edmonton Exhibition, July 17-22; Saskatoon Exhibition July 24-29; Regina Exhibition July 31-Aug. 5; Exhibition Grounds, Edmonton, Aug. 11-26; Polo Park, Winnipeg, Sept. 1-16.

TIDES

Jan.	Time h.m	Ht ft.	Time h.m.	Ht ft.	Time h.m.	Ht ft.	Time h.m	Ht ft.
22 ..	7.13	9.3	12.26	7.5	15.44	7.7	23.40	4.3
23 ..	7.20	9.2	13.49	6.8	17.04	7.0	.....	....
24 ..	0.03	5.2	7.36	9.3	18.17	6.1	18.45	6.5
25 ..	.....	....	7.58	9.4	.....	....	16.13	5.5
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Edmonton Flyers Set Scoring Mark In Win

EDMONTON (CP) — Handy Andy Clovechok, Edmonton Flyers' triple threat around the net in the days of the 1947-48 Allan Cup series, once again appears to be hitting his stride as a deadly sniper.

Playing his best game in a long time, Clovechok picked up eight points here last night as Flyers humiliated Regina Capitals, 16 to 2, in a Western Canada Senior Hockey League game witnessed by about 7,000.

Edmonton's gold dust twins, Colin Kilburn and Doug Anderson, also accounted for four goals apiece to set what probably is a league scoring record.

The easily-won victory boosted the Flyers' lead to three points over the second-place Calgary Stampeders.

Veteran Alex Pringle also notched two tallies for the Edmonton squad while Elmer Kreller and Bing Merluk collected singletons. Merluk figured on four other goals to make a five-point effort for the night.

Mel Hill robbed rookie Ray Frederick of a shutout in the third stanza when he flipped Red Tilson's pass into the net. The same combination accounted for the last Regina tally in the final minutes.

Caps were completely ineffective against Flyers and the wobbly first-period defence produced even less resistance in the last two sessions.

Kerrisdale Wins

VANCOUVER (CP)—The cellar-dwelling Kerrisdale Monarchs responded to tongue lashings Monday night in trouncing Nanaimo Clippers 6 to 2 in a Mainline-Okanagan Hockey League contest.

The in-and-out Monarchs shot into a 4 to 0 first-period lead against the Vancouver Island visitors, yielded a single to Clippers in the second, and then wrapped up the game by outscoring Clippers 2 to 1 in the final.

George Horbe, ex-Vancouver Canuck, fired three goals and picked up an assist to lead the scorers.

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Change In City Cage Playoffs Announced

A drastic change in the Victoria and District Basketball League playoff schedule has been announced by league vice-president Hank Casilio.

Deemed necessary because of the schedule of island playoffs as set Sunday, the new plan finds all leagues but senior A men affected by the change.

Senior B men's and intermediate A men's leagues will be two-game total-point series while intermediate B boys and junior boys will meet in sudden-death semi-finals and two-game total-point finals. The senior A men's league playoff remains a best-of-five series beginning Feb. 1.

All games previously scheduled this week have been canceled and the following schedule takes effect:

Wednesday—7: Junior boys semifinal St. Louis College vs. Chinese Students (sudden-death game, winner to meet Tillicums in total-point final series). 8: Intermediate A men's semifinal, Elks vs. Victoria High Totems (first game, total-point series). 9: Senior B men's quarter-final, Navy vs. Brentwood Aces (second game, total-point series, Navy leads by four points).

Friday—8: Senior B women's final, Comets vs. Eaglettes (first game, total-point series).

Saturday—7: Midget boys final, K.V.'s Lions vs. K.V.'s Tigers (first game, total-point series). 8: Intermediate B boys semifinal, Barons vs. Chinese Students (sudden-death game, winner to meet Elks in total-point series). 9: Senior B men's semifinal, Victoria Confections vs. Fletcher's Men's Wear (second game, total-point series, Fletcher's lead by 11 points).

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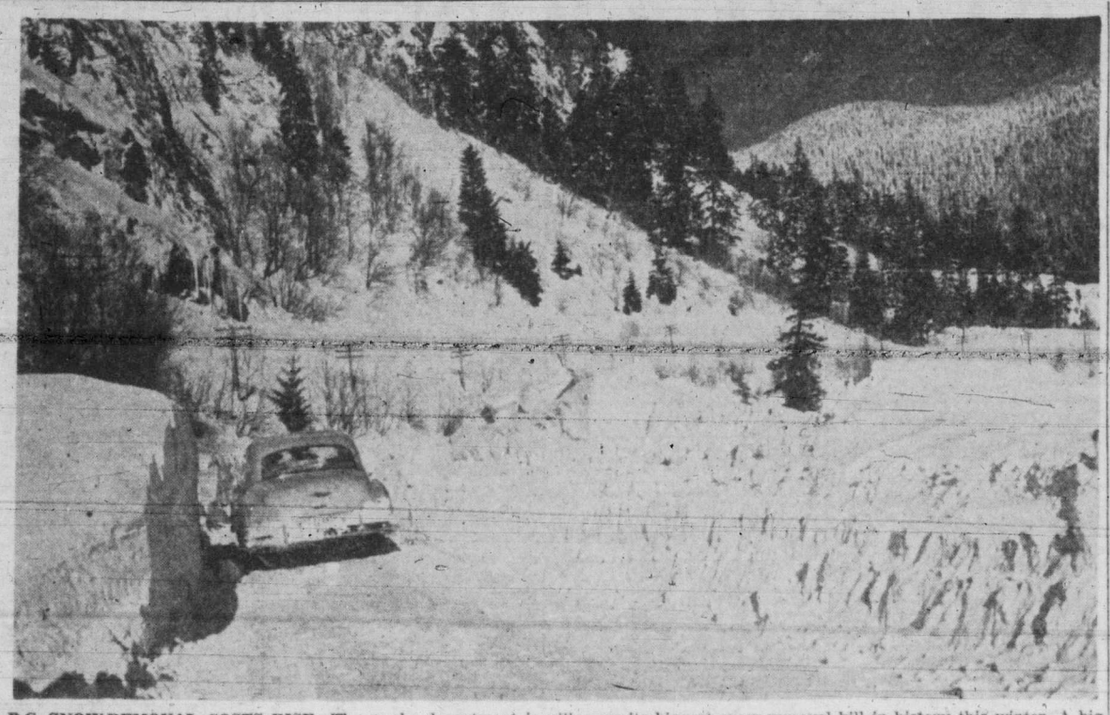

B.C. SNOW-REMOVAL COSTS RISE—The works department is piling up its biggest snow removal bill in history this winter. A big rotary plow was needed to slice through the eight to 10-foot drifts which blocked the Trans-Canada Highway east of Yale last week. —(B.C. Government Travel Bureau Photo)

Appeal Against Murder Conviction Continues In Court

For the second day Erik Valfred Backstrom, 52-year-old tie contractor sentenced to be hanged on Feb. 28, listened to his lawyer appeal his conviction of murder arising out of the shooting of a fellow logger in a Kootenay lumber camp on Aug. 15.

William A. Schultz, Backstrom's lawyer, claimed in Appepl Court today that there was sufficient evidence to show that the rifle which killed Rudolph Stoller, was accidentally discharged when the two men fought on the ground.

The evidence of one witness was that the two loggers grappled on the ground with the rifle jammed between them, Mr. Schultz said.

"But how do you account for Stoller being shot in the back?" asked Mr. Justice H. I. Bird.

Backstrom unshaven and sitting directly behind his lawyer, looked up nervously at the judge who sought an explanation of the shooting.

"It is true that there is evidence to support the Crown's theory of murder," replied Backstrom's counsel. 'But there is also evidence given by one witness that the shot went off when the two men were on the ground. How Stoller was shot is not quite clear."

Mr. Schultz went on to say that the trial judge, Mr. Justice A. M. Manson, had misdirected the jury when he withdrew one of the defence's arguments that Backstrom had been provoked by Stoller prior to the shooting.

Backstrom was under the impression that Stoller had stolen his rifle and knife, he explained. He threatened to shoot him if he did not get them back.

The lawyer also argued that the judge had never properly instructed the jury on the intent that was necessary for a murder conviction.

The appeal is continuing.

Frank W. Nicolls was elected chairman of the Victoria Chapter, Architectural Institute of British Columbia, at a recent meeting here.

Patrick Birley was named vice-chairman and Ralph Cole, secretary.

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Navy Driver's Accident Report Read At Manslaughter Hearing

Donald Pedden, young navy seaman, was remanded by Magistrate H. C. Hall to Wednesday for formal committal for a trial on a manslaughter charge at the conclusion of the preliminary hearing in city police court today. James J. Proudfoot is defence counsel.

Charge against Pedden arose from the traffic death of 18-year-old Clarence Clarke, red-bearded sailor, between 1.30 and 2 on the morning of Nov. 25 on Douglas Street near Broughton Street. The area was dark and it was raining, evidence showed.

Claude L. Harrison, city prosecutor, quoted a motor vehicle report alleged to have been filled out and signed by Pedden, in whch accused said he was driving a jeep north on Douglas Street and saw two dark objects in the middle of the road.

Mr. Harrison quoted the report of Pedden's as saying "I attempted to drive between them and felt a bump." Accused was reported to have written that he pulled into the curb and, on going back, saw a body on the road.

Robert A. Shirley, H.M.C.S. Naden, said he was walking past the Strathcona Hotel cafe when he saw Clarke throw his coat over his head and stagger back into the street and fall on the road. Witness said he looked back later and saw a jeep approaching and Clarke lying on the road. Shirley said he saw Clarke at the Crystal Garden dance.

Asked as to Clarke's condition, he replied: "I'd say he was drunk."

20 MILES AN HOUR

Norma A. Johnson, Happy Valley, and Arthur Owen Duggan, R.C.N., said they were riding in the back seat of the jeep and felt a bump or a jar. PO. George H. Green, riding in the front of the jeep driven by accused, said he felt no jar but that he told Pedden to pull up to the crub when Pedden said there was a body on the road.

Witness figure dthe jeep's speed at 20 miles an hour.

Len Acres, musician, said he noticed an object in the middle of the road, gave it a wide berth and pulled into the curb, followed by another car and the navy jeep.

Taxi driver Cliff B. Hutchinson told of seeing Clarke walking up the Douglas Street east sidewalk "with his coat over his head and having a tough time of it. I took it he'd had a little too much to drink." This was prior to the accident.

Woman Does Fine Work Battling Fire In Her Home

The efficient, cool-headed action of Mrs. N. A. Hutton is credited by firemen with saving her 3149 Cook Street home from more serious damage by the fire which broke out around 11 Monday night.

Assistant Fire Chief Frank Briers reported that Mrs. Hutton nearly had the fire out by the time firemen arrived in response to an alarm received at 11.36.

Fire damaged the telephone so that Mrs. Hutton had to send someone 300 yards to a neighbor's place to call the fire department. It is the last house before the Saanich boundary.

Fire is reported to have started in inflammable material located close to the chimney. Flames spread upward into the attic where Mrs. Hutton tackled them with buckets of water handed up to her by other members of the household.

Firemen finished the job. Considerable damage was done to the attic.

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Oak Bay Puts Up 22 Lots For Sale

A total of 22 lots have been placed on the market by Oak Bay municipality, according to A. D. Findlay, municpal clerk.

Eighteen are 60-foot frontage lots on Allenby Street, off Foul Bay Road. Sales prices is $800 each. Previously on the reserve list as park area, the lots now are being released as it is felt unnecessary to hold them in view of the municipality's purchase of the Willows fairgrounds which will contain a large park area.

The other four lots are situated on Cadboro Bay Road near the entrance to the fairgrounds and will be sold for $900 each.

U.S. Veterans Should Check On Bonus Plan

Former Indiana residents who served in the Second World War and are now living on Vancouver Island have been advised to check with their home state to see if they are eligible for the Indiana bonus payment now under way.

Application blanks can be secured by writing the Bonus Division, Indiana Department of Veterans' Affairs, 431 North Meridian Street, Indianapolis.

Admitted To B.C. Bar

Mr. Justice A. D. Macfarlane admitted Clarence Cooper, graduate of the University of Toronto and Osgoode Hall Law School, to the British Columbia bar, at a ceremony held in Supreme Court Monday. Mr. Cooper is associated with the British Columbia Forestry Department.

R.C.A.F. Enlisting Recruits In Nanaimo

Nanaimo will receive another visit by representatives from the R.C.A.F. recruiting unit, 1314 Government Street, Victoria.

Flight Sergeant L. H. Kelsey and Sergeant C. L. Cowan of the Victoria staff will set up temporary headquarters at the Globe Hotel Jan. 25, 26, 27 and 28 for the convenience of young men of Nanaimo and district. Previous visits have indicated an active interest by the youth of this area in the Royal Canadian Air Force, and have resulted in Nanaimo's being well represented in the service.

Complete information in regard to air force careers will be available during the visit, and interviews and eligibility tests will be conducted for those who desire to submit applications for consideration.

Those applicants who are successful in passing preliminary tests and who produce satisfactory documentary proof of age, education, etc., will be provided with transportation to Victoria and return for medical and X-ray examination and interview by the officer commanding the unit, Squadron Leader E. L. Howey, D.F.C.

A daily allowance is also paid to these prospective applicants while required at Victoria regardless of whether they are ultimately enlisted in the service or not. There is no obligation on either the applicant's nor the R.C.A.F.'s part at any stage prior to actual enlistment. The applicant is free to withdraw at any time and the service gives no promise of acceptance.

Classroom Moves To United Church

This week's Wednesday night lecture in the Victoria College Evening Division course on "Exploring Music" will be given at First United Church starting at 8.

Graham Steed, organist and choirmaster at Christ Church Cathedral, will continue his discussion on keyboard literature, using the organ of First United Church for demonstration.

Mr. Steed's first lecture in the course dealt with the history of the keyboard.

All the remaining lectures will be given at Victoria College.

Dr. George Green, cornetist, and Morris Crawford, flautist, will be heard in the following lecture a week Wednesday.

Indian Uses Pliers In Disease Treatment

How an Indian used a pair of pliers to rip the diphtheria membrane from the throat of a tribe member in northern British Columbia was told here today.

Nurse Aileen Bond, senior public health nurse for the provincial health department at Dawson Creek, says the Indian saved the patient's life temporarily by the crude operation. However, the sick Indian succumbed later at Edmonton.

The incident forms part of the heroic battle Miss Bond and Nurse Wilson of the Indian Affairs Department, carried on when diphtheria struck the Indian reservation on Stoney River, in the Halfway Valley of the Peace River country last month.

"Beyond the call of duty," is how B.C. deputy health minister, Dr. G. F. Amyot, described it.

The two nurses bucked blizzards, snowdrifts and subzero weather during the Christmas-New Year holiday to battle the disease. They had the proud record of saving 30 of 35 cases of diphtheria.

The nurses rode horseback, used sleighs, planes and even sonwshoes to get to the stricken reservation. There they immunized Indians and treated the sick, and it wasn't easy.

"It's not the easiest profession," said Miss Bond. "And it's not the easiest thing to look professional in Arctic regalia, crawling into a teepee on hands and knees and having to squat on saliva-spattered ground while smoke from a bonfire slowly blinds one."

The two nurses slept in sleighs and ate hardtack and thawed out frozen bully beef. Once they even caught four rabbits in a snare and had rabbit stew for supper.

Col. Peck Uninjured When Car Overturns On Icy Saanich Road

Col. Cy Peck, Victoria Cross winner of the First World War, escaped injury when his car overturned in one of three accidents which did nearly $700 damage to five automobiles in Saanich police territory Monday.

The English model car driven by Col. Peck suffered about $200 damage when it hit an icy stretch and overturned on East Saanich Road near Hovey Street.

Saanich officers estimated $300 damage was done to a car driven by Olive May Johnson, Third Avenue, Sidney, when it was in collision with a truck driven by A. J. McBeth, 1314 Pembroke Street, on East Saanich Road, near Tanner Street. Car driven by Olive Johnson was a Provincial Department of Health Service vehicle. Truck damage was light. Police said M. Thomas, Beacon Avenue, Sidney, sustained a slight cut on the head in the accident.

A car driven by Alan Tregallas, 320 Gorge Road West, was being towed into town along Gorge Road when the tow-rope broke. The result was the Tregallas car skidded into an approaching truck driven by Sidney Samuelson, Cobble Hill, at Adelaide Avenue. Car damage was about $100 and about $75 damage was done to the truck. Driver of the tow car was Maurice Newberry, 408 Parry Street.

St. Mary's Man's Guild will meet in the Guild Hall, Yale Street, Thursday at 8. Speaker will be R. E. Chambers.

Cars Take Toll Of Pets

By HUMPHREY DAVY

Dogs, like humans, are victims of many automobile accidents, and like men are often killed or permanently injured, according to Victoria veterinary surgeons. Scores of dogs pass through local clinics every week to receive treatment and many of these are for broken legs and internal injuries.

Dr. R. E. Cranston and Dr. M. L. Olsen report automobile accidents, distemper and stomach ailments bring the largest number in.

There are no statistics on the number of dogs killed in Victoria annually, but the death toll is high. Many dogs struck down by motorists are allowed to die on the roadside without receiving any medical attention.

Police frown on motorists who run over dogs and don't stop to render medical assistance. These motorists are open to court action.

JAY-WALKING CANINES

The dog population have their own jay-walkers. Many dogs, though, are law-abiding and keep a sharp lookout for traffic. Some dogs do not behave any better than children and play and romp in the centre of the street.

Doctors find most animals are easy to treat. Dogs don't mind injections and they usually take medicine quietly, Dr. Cranston said.

Dogs are also subject to psychological as well as physical ailments, he said. But they usually acquire these characteristics from their owners.

A nervous dog or cat gets that way because its owner is nervous. Many factors might contribute toward making a dog vicious. In some cases it is due to maltreatment.

"Tony," Scotch collie of Mrs. E. Ridgway, Wilkinson Road, and "Trixie," pup of A. J. Swayne, 2638 Scott Street, have been in hospital for weeks with broken legs. E. Thow is attendant.

Waldo, pet of W. Mahon of Royal Oak, suffering from head injury, was annoyed when cameraman took picture.

Planes Return To Service After Emergency Landings

PRESIDENT—The Federal Progressive Conservative Association of Greater Victoria has named C. W. Stanbury, 1621 Prospect Place, as president, for 1950. Mr. Stanbury was a candidate for the Conservative federal nomination here and served as campaign manager for Gordon A. Cameron during the June election last year.

After serving as an overnight emergency base for mainland planes, Pat Bay was back on normal routine today with all Trans-Canada Air Lines flights on schedule, T.C.A. officials report.

The weather forced five Vancouver-bound passenger planes to land at Pat Bay. Three were T.C.A. planes, chartered to fly snowbound train passengers from the Penticton area to Vancouver. The fourth was a Canadian Pacific Air Lines Dakota, forced by mainland conditions to fly to the island, and the fifth was a T.C.A. plane, bound for Vancouver from Pat Bay, which was forced to return here.

The majority of passengers reached the mainland from here on the night boat, but early this morning flying conditions improved and all five grounded craft returned to the air and completed their flights to Vancouver, while T.C.A. put its regular island-mainland service into operation.

B.C. To Certificate Contractors Engaged In Electrical Work

The provincial government is going to take control over electrical contractors in areas where municipalities do not exercise control.

Regulations have been approved by the provincial government and will come into force as soon as they have been gazetted. Gazetting can be anticipated shortly.

Under the regulations a board of five examiners will be set up. All persons engaged as electrical contractors or as members of a firm engaged in electrical contracting must hold certificates of competency.

If electrical contractors who have carried on for the past two years apply for certificates within 60 days no examination will be required. Otherwise, an electrical contractor must go before the board for examination before being certificated.

An electrical contractor must secure a permit for all installations. Such permits will be issued only to persons holding certificates of competency.

An exception is that of a person working on his own property. He must secure a permit although he does not have to hold a certificate of competency.

Three types of certificates are to be available to electrical contractors. Grade A certificates will permit any work, Grade B limited to installations with a maximum of 600 amperes and 750 volts, and Grade C, limited to installations with maximum of 100 amperes and 300 volts.

The charge for the certificates will range from $25 to $5 per year. Examination charges will run from $20 to $10.

Mayor Of Auckland Returns Greetings

The Mayor of Auckland, New Zealand, today acknowledged greetings Mayor Percy George sent "down under" with Bruce Humber, coach of the Canadian track and field team entered in the British Empire Games.

Mayor J. A. C. Allum said:

"We are indeed glad to welcome the fine young men and women comprising your Empire Games team and we look forward with great interest to seeing them in action in the various events.

"As you rightly say they come to us not only as ambassadors of sport but of goodwill, further strengthening the ties which bind us all together.

"May I take this opportunity cordially to reciprocate all your good wishes and to say how much in the past I have appreciated the hospitality shown to me when I have visited your great Dominion."

Lower Bus Fares Out For College

Victoria College students announced today they had failed in efforts to secure lower bus fares for travel to school and home.

A committee of the students had negotiated with transportation companies with little success, the student body was told.

Speaker was Dan Levy, chairman of a special transport committee, who said no other university in Canada received any fare concessions. So it was felt useless for a small college to take effective action.

"But if anything should arise which would warrant further agitation the committee will resume its work," the chairman said

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St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society will hold its annual supper and ball in the Empress Hotel ballroom Friday at 7.

New 'Phone Number For Government Feb. 1

The most frequently used telephone number in Victoria—the number of the provincial government—will be changed Feb. 1.

Instead of dialing Empire 1111, as persons wanting any one of hundreds of provincial government offices here have been doing for years, starting Feb. 1 you will dial Beacon 6111.

The changeover is being made because of the overcrowding of the Empire 1—— series. Too many other firms and institutions which have heavy traffic have numbers beginning with Empire 1——.

The provincial government's telephone network extends far beyond the Parliament Buildings. Dozens of uptown offices are connected through the Parliament Buildings exchange.

In all, 500 telephones are connected through the Parliament Buildings exchange. The calls are handled on 16 incoming and 16 outgoing trunks.

Both incoming and outgoing trunks are to be added to shortly.

While the Parliament Buildings exchange is automatic for calls within the government's network and for outgoing calls, the incoming calls are directed to the proper offices by operators. It takes two of them to handle the calls during the daylight hours.

Farmers' Institute Re-elects Michell

W. W. Michell has been re-elected president of the South Saanich Farmers' Institute which held its 35th annual meeting in the South Saanich Institute Hall, Keating, last week.

F. Drake is secretary-treasurer for 1950. He succeeds J. H. Wheeler. Directors are: A. Doney, M. Bickford, D. Patterson, E. R. Heal, John Oliver and Victor Virgin.

Mr. Michell, in his annual report, noted with pride that the South Saanich Farmers' and South Saanich Women's Institutes now owned the South Saanich Institute Hall, for many years known as the Temperance Hall.

J. J. Woods acted as chairman of a panel discussion on the poultry industry and its future.

Pleads Innocent To Theft Charge

Pleading not guilty to a charge of stealing a suit of clothes and an overcoat over the total value of $25, Frank Barera was remanded to Jan. 28 for trial in city police court today. James J. Proudfoot is his counsel. Clothing is the property of John Baxter, 271 Michigan Street.

Ask Zoning Changes

Two applications for rezoning of property were received today at the City Hall.

Mrs. C. M. Warner, 206 Gorge Road East, asked that her lot be changed from single family to commercial classification, and James E. Watson, 740 Hillside, requested rezoning of that address from apartment to commercial.

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Announcements

Births

COWNDEN—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cownden, 1215 Lockley Road, on Friday, Jan. 20, 1950, at St. Joseph's Hospital, a son.

Engagements

McMARTIN—HORWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Orme, 687 Mount Joy Avenue, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Mary H. Horwood, to Thomas M. McMartin, son of Mr. and Mrs. James McMartin, 44 Howe Street. The marriage to take place quietly on Feb. 6, 1950, at 1 p.m. in St. Barnabas' Church, Rev. Munn officiating.

GODDUE—GANNER

Mr. and Mrs. R. Ganner, 5047 Cordova Bay Road, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Loretto Wineva, to Mr. Donald Goddue, youngest son of Mr. T. Goddue and the late Mrs. Goddue of New Westminster, B.C. The marriage will take place in the early summer.

Marriages

CLARKE—ROSYCHUK

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rosychuk of Edmonton, Alta., announce the marriage of their daughter, Doris, to Mr. Ray Clarke, son of Mrs. Clarke, of Ontario. The wedding took place on Saturday, Jan. 7, 1950, at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

DUCLOS—GAUTI

The marriage is announced of Erla Gudny, youngest daughter of Mrs. Aslaug Gauti, 1329 Stanley Avenue, and the late Mr. Thorstein Gauti, to Robert Murray Duclos, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Sydney R. H. Duclos, Durrance Road, Saanich. The wedding took place on Jan. 20, 1950, at 8 p.m., at the home of the bride, Rev. C. R. McGillvray officiating.

JACKSON—LEIGHTON

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Leighton, 1533 Vining Street, announce the marriage of their only daughter, Aileen Mary, to Mr. John Patrick Jackson, only son of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Jackson of North Kamloops, B.C. The ceremony took place at 8 p.m. on Friday, Jan. 20, 1950, at First United Church, with Rev. Moir Waters officiating.

Deaths

AMOS YORK

On Jan. 23, 1950, at the residence, 841 Broughton Street, Amos York, beloved husband of Myra Ann York, in his 75th year; born in Cedar District, Nanaimo, V.I., and a resident of Victoria and district for the past 36 years. He leaves, besides his widow, Myra, one nephew Charles Nelson York of Victoria; also five nieces in Nanaimo, all of the York family. The late Mr. York was a member of the L.O.O.M. of Victoria. Private funeral services will be held on Thursday afternoon, Jan. 26, 1950, at 1.30 in McCall Bros. Funeral Chapel, Rev. J. L. W. McLean officiating. Cremation. No flowers, by request. (Nanaimo papers, please copy.)

GEORGE CAIN

On Jan. 23, 1950, in Victoria, George Cain, of 1045 Esquimalt Road, in his 68th year. Born in Newcastle, Eng., he has been a resident of Victoria for the past 50 years. He is survived by six sons, George Edward and Arnold, of Vancouver, and Jerold, Norman, Roy and Percy of Victoria; four daughters, Mrs. George MacNuit, Mrs. S. Thane and Mrs. F. Gibbons of Victoria, and Miss Marie Cain at home; one sister, Isabella Cain, and one brother, James Cain, both of County Cork, Ireland; 18 grandchildren. Funeral services will be held on Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 25, 1950, at 12.30 from the Thomson Funeral Home, with Major A. T. Calvert officiating. Interment in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

FREDRICK ARTHUR JENNER

On Sunday, Jan. 22, Fredrick Arthur Jenner passed away at his home, 260 Superior Street, in his 89th year. He was born in Brighton, Eng., and came to Canada in 1884. He served with the Transport Division during the Reil Rebellion of 1885. After the rebellion he joined the Hudson's Bay Company and served as manager at Fort Qu'Appelle, Sask., until 1912. He lived in Regina, Sask., for 21 years before coming to make his home in Victoria. He leaves to mourn his passing two daughters, Miss Emily Jenner and Mrs. D. W. Spencer, both of Victoria; a son, Thomas at Princeton, B.C.; a brother S. Morley in Winnipeg, Man. and a sister, Mrs. A. Presgrave in Toronto. Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, Jan. 25, at 4 p.m. from Chaplin's Funeral Chapel, with Archdeacon J. K. Irwin officiating, followed by cremation. No flowers, please. (Regina Leader-Post please copy.)

ANNIE MAUDE McINTYRE

On Jan. 20, 1950, at her late residence, after a lengthy illness, Annie Maude McIntyre, of 9440 Foul Bay Road, beloved wife of William E. McIntyre. She was a resident of Victoria for the past 40 years. Besides her husband, she is survived by four sisters, Miss Rena Greenway and Mrs. J. E. Osborne of North Vancouver, B.C., Mrs. J. O. Domford of Vancouver, and Mrs. U. F. Mutch of Crystal City, Man. Funeral services will be held from the Thomson Funeral Home on Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 25, 1950, at 2, with Rev. Emma M. Smiley officiating. Cremation to follow.

JOHN ANDREW BELANGER

Passed away at Royal Jubilee Hospital, on Saturday, Jan. 21, 1950, Mr. John Andrew Belanger, in his 79th year; born in Chicago, Ill., and a resident of Victoria for the past 60 years, late residence, 1111 McKenzie Avenue. Survived by his loving wife, Marie, at home; also nieces in Vancouver and California. The late Mr. Belanger was associated with the C.P.R. for 38 years, and was a member of Aerie No. 12, Fraternal Order of Eagles for many years. Prayers will be offered in the Memorial Chapel of Chimes of the Sands Mortuary Ltd. on Wednesday evening, Jan. 25, at 8.30, and Requiem High Mass will be sung Thursday morning, Jan. 26, at 9 in St. Andrew's Cathedral. Interment in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

ANNOUNCEMENTS (Continued)

Deaths

THOMAS S. MITCHELL

On Jan. 22, 1950, at the residence, Baker Street, Saanich, Thomas S. Mitchell, aged 77 years, beloved husband of Rachel Mitchell; born in Cheshire, Eng., and a resident of Victoria and district for 40 years. Besides his wife, he leaves nieces and nephews. Funeral services in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Wednesday at 1.15 p.m., Rev. Currie Thomson officiating, followed by cremation.

ELIZA BIRD

In Victoria, B.C., on Jan. 23, 1950, Mrs. Eliza Bird, aged 89 years, widow of Harry Bird; born in Ireland, and a resident of Victoria for 25 years, former resident of Sussex Hotel. Funeral from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Friday at 3 p.m. Interment in family plot, Ross Bay Cemetery. (No flowers, by request).

RICHARD CHARLES HEYES

Suddenly in Victoria, on Jan. 23, 1950, Richard Charles Heyes, of 340 Irving Road, beloved husband of Eva Heyes, in his 69th year; born in Lancaster, Eng., and a resident of Victoria and district for the past 43 years. He leaves, besides his wife, Eva, one daughter, Mrs. Gordon (Edna) Rasmdale of Victoria; one son, Raymond at home; three grandchildren; one stepdaughter, Mrs. Ruby Williams; one stepson, Edward Jackson; also two brothers, Ike and George Heyes of Vancouver, B.C. The late Mr. Heyes was a member of Columbia Lodge, No. 2, I.O.O.F. Funeral services will be held on Thursday afternoon, Jan. 26, 1950, at 3 in McCall Bros.' Floral Funeral Chapel, Rev. Dr. J. B. Rowell, assisted by Capt. W. Ratcliffe, officiating. Interment in Royal Oak Burial Park.

HANNAH CONSTABLES

Passed away at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on Jan. 23, 1950, Mrs. Hannah Constable, in her 84th year; born in Careless Green, County of Nottingham, Eng., and a resident of Victoria for the past 40 years, late residence, 3022 Napier Lane. Survived by two daughters, Mrs. Rose Smith of 3022 Napier Lane, and Mrs. J. (Nellie) Ferrie Jr. of Glanford Avenue; eight grandchildren, eight great-grandsons, nieces and nephews in Victoria, also relatives in England. Funeral services will be held in the Memorial Chapel of Chimes of the Sands Mortuary Ltd. on Friday, Jan. 27, 1950, at 1.30 p.m. Rev. George Biddle will officiate. Interment in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

Funeral Notice

CHARLES HERBERT HUDSON

Funeral services for the late Mr. Charles Herbert Hudson, who passed away on Jan. 20, 1950, were held yesterday morning at 11 in McCall Bros.' Floral Funeral Chapel. Many sympathizing friends attended, the casket being surrounded by many beautiful floral tributes. Mrs. Bert Noel led the congregation in the singing of "Lead Kindly Light," with Miss Hilda Kirkby, L.R.S.M., presiding at the organ. Rev. Dr. A. E. Whitehouse officiated and interment was in Colwood Burial Park. The following gentlemen served as pallbearers: Hugo Pallantier, D. A. Fair, Oliver G. Intrand, Albert Kirkbride, P. Watt and J. Dinsmore.

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Tonight

5.30 Canadian Cavalcade—CBR.
Town Crier—CKDA.
Plantation Party—CJVI.
Superman CKWX.
Sports Special—CJOR.
Chet Huntley—KIRO.
Baby Snooks Show—KOMO.
Sky King KJR.
B Bar B Ranch—KVI.
5.45: Jack Smith Show—CKDA.
5.45: News—CJVI. KIRO.

6.00 Guy Lombardo—CJVI.
Music—CJOR.
News—CKWX, KJR, CKDA.
Life With Luigi—KIRO.
Bob Hope—KOMO.
Gabriel Heatter—KVI.
6.15: Edwin C. Hill—KJR.

6.30 Fibber McGee and Molly—CBR. KOMO.
Hit Parade—CKDA.
Mystery Melody—CJVI.
Bob White Show—CKWX.
Russ Morgan's Orchestra—CJOR.
Escape—KIRO.
It's Your Business—KJR.
Tello-Test—KVI.

7.00 CBC News—CBR.
News—CKDA.
News; Orchestra—CJVI.
News; Dick Haymes—CKWX.
Jack Short Show—CJOR.
Speaking of Radio—KIRO.
Big Town—KOMO.
Counterspy—KJR.
Mysterious Traveler—KVI.
7.15: News Roundup—CBR.

7.30 Leicester Square—CBR.
Birthday Party—CKDA.
Harmony House—CJVI.
Harmony House—CJOR.
Young Love—KIRO.
People Are Funny—KOMO.
Story of Dr. Kildare—KJR.
Red Ryder—KVI.
Cisco Kid—CKWX.

8.00 Science Reporter—CBR.
News—CJVI, CKWX, CJOR, CKDA.
Lowell Thomas—KIRO.
Light-up Time—KOMO.
Mr. President—KJR.
Count of Monte Cristo—KVI.
8.15: Eddie Arnold—CJVI.
8.15: Nation's Business—CBR.
8.15: Dinah Shore, Jack Smith—KIRO.
8.15: News of the World—KOMO.

8.30 Mystery Theatre—CBR.
Curtain Calls—CKDA.
In Search of Ourselves—CJVI. CJOR.
Sealed Book—CKWX.
Mr. and Mrs. North—KIRO.
Robert Taylor, Cav. of America—KOMO.
Gentlemen of the Press—KJR.
Mystery Is My Hobby—KVI.

9.00 Solo Guest—CBR.
News—CKDA.
News; "Maisie"—CJVI.
Guy Lombardo—CKWX.
Western Trails—CJOR.
Mystery Theatre—KIRO.
Interlude—KOMO.
Town Meeting—KJR.
Glenn Hardy—KVI.
9.15: Pianist Spivakovsky, Vancouver Symphony—CBR.

9.30 Vancouver Pop Concert—CBR.
Modern Concert Hall—CKDA.
Crime Does Not Pay—CJVI.
Arthur Teacher—CKWX.
Today's Hits—CJOR.
Beulah—KIRO.
Pass the Buck—KOMO.
Local—KJR.
Official Detective—KVI.
9.45: Club 15—KIRO.

10.00 The Times at Ten—CKDA.
CBC News — CBR, CKWX, CJOR KIRO. KJR.
News; Six For One—CJVI.
Night Reporter with Sam Hayes—KOMO.
I Love a Mystery—KVI.
10.15: Miscellany—CBR.
10.15: Sullivan Scoreboard—KIRO.
10.15: Concert Hour—KJR.

10.30 Claremont Hotel Orch.—CBR.
Spinner Sanctum—CKDA.
At Close of Day—CKWX.
Toronto Symphony — CJVI, CJOR.
Swap n Shop—KIRO.
Morton Downey—KOMO.
Concert Hour—KJR.
Chuckwagon Jamboree—KVI.
10.45: You and the World—KIRO.

Tomorrow

7.30 News and Weather—CBR.
News—CJVI, CKDA.
G.G. Man—CJOR.
Bob Garred—KIRO.
Bob Nichols—KOMO.
Music to Breakfast—KJR.
Music—KVI.
7.45: Early Bird Show—CKDA.
7.45: Al Smith—CJVI.
7.45: Sam Hayes—KOMO.

8.00 News—CBR. KOMO. CJVI. CJOR, CKDA.
News and Market—CKWX.
Eddie Arnold—KIRO.
Breakfast Club—KJR.
Back to Bible—KVI.
8.15: Breakfast Club—CBR.
8.15: Music of the Waltz—CJVI.
8.15: Dave Vaillie—KIRO.

8.30 Breakfast Club—CBR
Dave Hill Show—CKDA.
Music of the Waltz—CJVI.
News Bob's Inn—CKWX.
Billy Browne—CJOR.
Grand Slam—KIRO.
Jack Berch Show—KOMO.
Breakfast Club—KJR.
Bible Institute—KVI.
8.45: Roving Reporter—CKDA.
8.45: Laura—CBR.
8.45: Rosemary—KIRO.

9.00 BBC News—CBR.
News—CJVI, KJR, CKDA.
News; Pick the Hits—CKWX.
Billy Browne—CJOR.
Wendy Warren—KIRO.
Musical Memorandum—KOMO.
Ladies Journal—KVI.
9.15: Aunt Lucy—CBR.
9.15: Aunt Jenny—KIRO.
9.15: Bob Eberly—CJVI.
9.15: Katherine Wise—KOMO.
9.15—Ann Sterling—KJR.

9.30 Morning Concert—CBR.
Dave Hill Show—CKDA.
Women's Editor—CJVI.
Waltz Time—CKWX.
Kate Aitken—CJOR.
Helen Trent—KIRO.
Ruth and Dick—KOMO.
Quick as a Flash—KJR.
Tell Your Neighbor—KVI.
9.45: Paula Stone—CJVI.
9.45: Gospel Singer—CJOR.
9.45: Our Gal Sunday—KIRO.
9.45: Gabriel Heatter—KVI.

10.00 Ellen Harris—CBR.
News—CKDA.
News; Six For One—CJVI.
News; Bob White Show—CKWX.
Jumbo Jackpot—CJOR.
Big Sister—KIRO.
You and Music—KOMO.
Ladies Be Seated—KJR.
Glenn Hardy—KVI.
10.15: Slogan Contest—CKDA.
10.15: Happy Gang—CBR.
10.15: Ma Perkins—KIRO.
10.15: Gospel Singer—KVI.

10.30 Happy Gang—CBR.
Slogan Contest—CKDA.
News—CJVI.
Bob White Show—CKWX.
Pop Time—CJOR.
Young Dr. Malone—KIRO.
My True Story—KJR.
Ladies Fair—KVI.
10.45: Ida Blanco—CJVI.
10.45: Strolling Tom—CKWX.
10.45: Music Kitchen—CBR.
10.45: News—CJOR.
10.45: Guiding Light—KIRO.
10.45: Marriage For Two—KOMO.
10.55: Betty Crocker—KJR.

11.00 Alt Kindergarten—CBR.
News—CKWX, CKDA.
News; Radio Kitchen—CJVI.
Northernaires—CJOR.
Second Mrs. Burton—KIRO.
Double or Nothing—KOMO.
Betty Crocker—KJR.
Ladies First—KVI.
11.15: Lucky Listening—CKDA.
11.15: A Man and His Music—CBR.
11.15: Perry Mason—KIRO.
11.15: Victor Lindlahr—KJR.

11.30 A Man and His Music—CBR.
Lucky Listening—CKDA.
Tunesmith—CJVI.
Star Time—CKWX.
Ma Perkins—CJOR.
Nora Drake—KIRO.
Today's Children—KOMO.
Baukage Talking—KJR.
11.45: Stroning Tom—CJVI.
Queen for a Day—KVI.
11.45: Guiding Light—CJOR.
11.45: Light of the World—KOMO.
11.45: Brighter Day—KIRO.

12.00 A Man and His Music—CBR.
News; Piccadilly Parade—CJVI.
News and Town Crier—CJOR.
Life Can Be Beautiful—KOMO.
News—KJR. CKWX. KVI. KIRO, CKDA.
12.15: News. Showcase—CBR.
12.15: Ken Hughes Show—CKWX.
12.15: Cecil Solly—KIRO.
12.15: News—KOMO.
12.15: Sheelah Carter—KJR.
12.15: Cedric Foster—KVI.

12.30 B.C. Farm Broadcast—CBR.
News—CJVI, CJOR, CKDA.
News and Ken Hughes—CKWX.
Maury's Turntable—KIRO.
Pepper Young's Family—KOMO.
Modern Romances—KJR.
Harmony Hoedown—KVI.
12.45: Right to Happiness—KOMO.

1.00 Afternoon Concert—CBR.
News—CKDA.
News; Memory Time—CJVI.
News and Daydreaming—CKWX.
Famous Voices—CJOR.
Housewives League—KIRO.
Backstage Wife—KOMO.
Meet the Menjous—KJR.
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1.15: Ed Farey Show—CKDA.
1.15: Club Diary—CJVI.
1.15: John Nesbitt—CKWX.
1.15: Stella Dallas—KOMO.
1.15: Hollywood—KJR.

1.30 Afternoon Concert—CBR.
Ed Farey Show—CKDA.
Six For One—CJVI.
Will Reeder's Notebook—CKWX.
Take It Easy—CJOR.
Gary Moore—KIRO.
Lorenzo Jones—KOMO.
Ann Sterling—KJR.
Say It With Music—KVI.
1.45: My Own Mom; Comty.—CBR.
1.45: Young Dr. Malone—CKWX.
1.45: Young Widder Brown—KOMO.
2.00 Festive Season—CBR.
News—CKDA.
News; Homemakers Harmony—CJVI.
Red, White and Blue—CKWX.
Take It Easy—CJOR.
Gary Moore Show—KIRO.
When a Girl Marries—KOMO.
Airy Notes—KJR.
Bob Poole Show—KVI.
2.15: Ed Farey Show—CKDA.
2.15: Homemakers Harmony—CJVI.
2.15: News—KIRO.
2.15: Portia Faces Life—KOMO.

2.30 Musical Program—CBR.
Music Lovers' Corner—CJVI.
News of the Day—CKWX.
Take It Easy—CJOR.
Steve Allen Show—KIRO.
Nona From Nowhere—KIRO.
Jane Plain Sist—KOMO.
Bride and Groom—KJR.
Matinee Musicale—KVI.
2.45: Arthur Godfrey—KIRO.
2.45: Front Page Farrell—KOMO.

3.00 Brave Voyage—CBR.
News; Music Lovers' Corner—CJVI.
Club Calendar—CKWX.
News—CJOR, KVI, CKDA.
Arthur Godfrey—KIRO.
Welcome Traveler—KOMO.
Pick a Date—KJR.
3.15: Shop and Swap—CKDA.
3.15: Messer's Islanders—CBR.

3.30 Comty: Divertimento—CBR.
Lionel Barrymore—CJVI.
Off the Record—CKWX.
Club 1340—CKDA.
Perry Mason—CJOR.
Arthur Godfrey—KIRO.
Aunt Mary—KOMO.
Hannibal Cobb—KJR.
Sagebrush Serenade—KVI.
3.45: Big Sister—CJOR.
3.45: We Love and Learn—KOMO.

4.00 Berne Braden—CBR.
News—CKDA.
News, Off the Record—CKWX.
Beulah—CJVI. CJOR.
Curt Massey—KIRO.
This Woman's Secret—KOMO.
Hollywood News—KJR.
Fulton Lewis Jr.—KVI.
4.15: Jack Smith Show—CJVI. CJOR.
4.15: Housewives Inc.—KIRO.
4.15: Road of Life—KOMO.
4.15: Frank Hemingway—KVI.
Maggie Muggins—CBR.
Kiddies' Kapers—CKDA.
Club 15—CJVI. CJOR.
Housewives Inc.—KIRO.
Linda's First Love—KOMO.
Melody Prom.—KJR.
Behind the Story—KVI.
4.45: Off the Record—CKWX.
4.45: Edward R. Murrow—KIRO.
4.45: Dr. Paul—KOMO.
4.45: News—KVI.

5.00 Rendezvous Room — CBR.
News—CKDA.
News; Six For One—CJVI.
Adventures of Champion—CKWX.
Jumbo Jackpot—CJOR.
Clifford and Clark—KIRO.
Note by Note—KOMO.
Challenge of Yukon—KJR.
B-Bar-B Ranch—KVI.
5.15: News—KOMO.

Television—KING
5.15—Lucky Pup.
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FIVE ROOMS — OIL-O-MATIC
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Exclusive Listing
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A low down payment and you can own this neat five-room siding bungalow. Has oak floors in living-room and hall, and you can move in immediately.
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NEAR THE SEA
Built in a grand location on one of the best streets in Fairfield. This five-room stucco bungalow with two extra rooms in the basement offers the ultimate in value and sound buying on today's market. Beautiful living-room with fireplace, dining-room all electric kitchen, two nice bedrooms, through hall. Full basement with drive-in garage, furnace piped to all rooms, PLUS two properly finished rooms in basement. Seven rooms and new, all for the full price $8950
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Please contact A. M. Millar
Evenings G 9214

Victoria West
Stucco bungalow comprising through hall, large living-room with open fireplace, dining-room, kitchen and nook, two large bedrooms and bathroom. Full cement basement with H.A. furnace. Separate garage with cement driveway. REDUCED PRICE $7800
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Oak Bay
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A THOROUGHLY MODERN BUNGALOW containing entrance hall, pleasing living-room with fireplace, dining-room, a well-planned kitchen; one bedroom and one smaller room which could be used as an occasional bedroom or a utility room. Basement, hot-air furnace. Tool shed. Light taxes. A few fruit trees. The whole in excellent condition. PRICE $7350

James Bay
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AN OLDER-TYPE HOUSE IN SOUND condition and repair. Hall, living-room with fireplace, kitchen and dining-room combined, one bedroom and modern bathroom downstairs. Two bedrooms and wash basin upstairs. Good garden and garage. PRICE $5250

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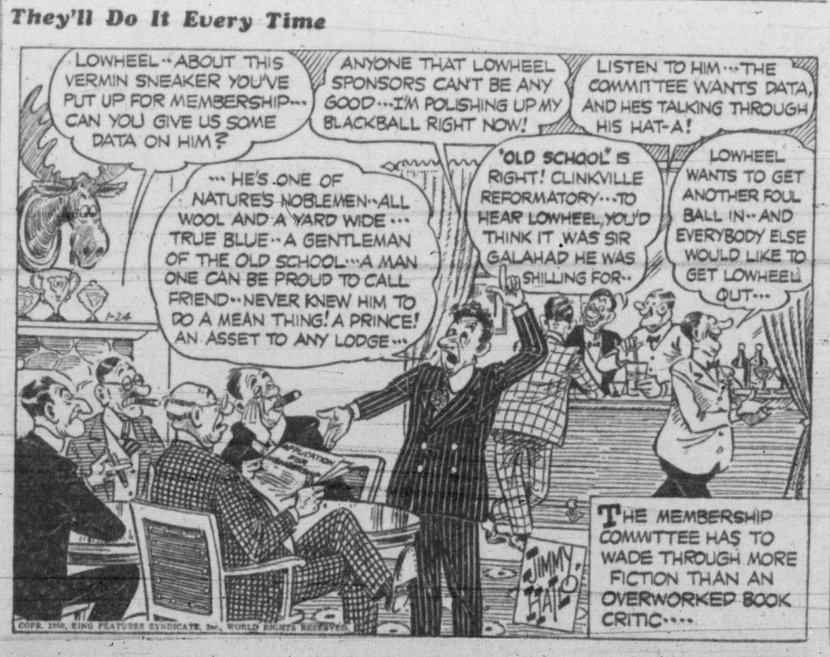

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A lovely new cedar-shake bungalow situated close-in, with beautiful surroundings. Has large living-room and dining-room combination, a smart kitchen with tile sink, two large bedrooms and a four-piece bathroom. There are hardwood floors. Full cement basement has piped furnace and drive-in garage. $5,200 Mortgage may be assumed, with full price $10,500

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An exceedingly nice location for a beautiful stucco home. One-story, it has large living-room, guest-sized dining-room, a fine kitchen. There are TWO bedrooms and bathroom as a suite, plus a THIRD bedroom and second bathroom. Also a comfortable den. Hardwood floors in main room. Hot-air OIL-O-MATIC heating, attached garage. In a fine, secluded location, with nice landscaped garden. Large lot $21,000

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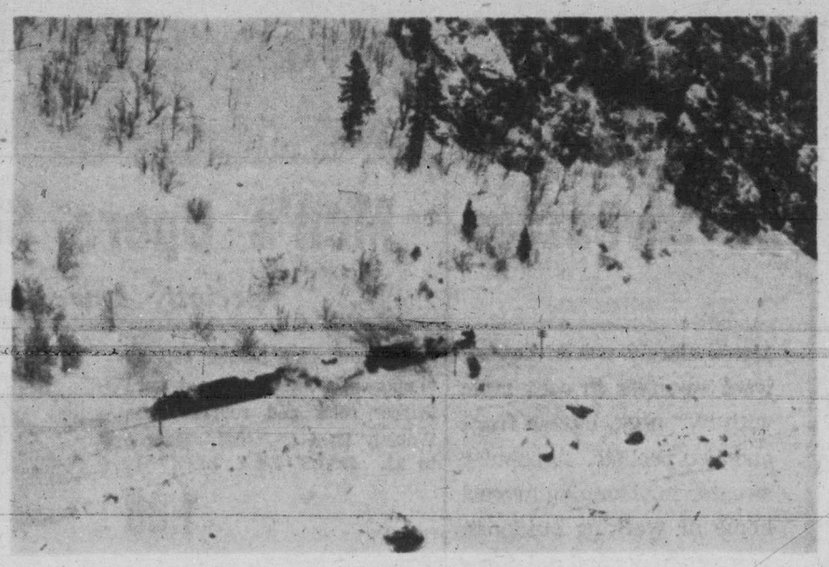

FREIGHT TRAIN CAUGHT IN SLIDE—This C.P.R. 50-car freight train was caught in an avalanche following severe winter storms near Yale, B.C., 115 miles east of Vancouver. At extreme right is tunnel entrance. About half the train entered before the slide fell. At far left two pusher engines are sticking out at the end of the slide. The aerial photo was taken at 500 feet. (CP Photo)

Veterans Ask Court Rule Rent Control To Continue

OTTAWA (CP)—Canada's war veterans today joined the federal government and tenants generally to press for the maintenance of rent ceilings through federal rent controls.

Each has filed argument or factum with the Supreme Court of Canada asking the court to rule that controls, enacted 11 years ago, be declared valid and within the jurisdiction of Parliament. The court has been asked by the federal government to test the validity of the controls. This will be done at a hearing Jan. 30.

The factum filed by the Quebec government, one of the parties to be represented, showed that province will oppose continuation of the controls.

Quebec likely will draw support from the Ontario government, whose argument has not yet been made public. The Canadian Federation of Property Owners is also opposed to continuation of controls.

The Canadian Congress of Labor is expected to link forces with the Canadian Legion, tenants and the federal government.

If the court rules the controls are within the jurisdiction of Parliament they will be extended beyond the expiry date, March 31. If not, all housing not under provincial control will be decontrolled.

J. J. Robinette of Toronto, government-appointed counsel for tenants, will argue that the housing shortage is one of the phases of the wartime emergency and it is up to Parliament to determine when the emergency has ended.

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Danger To Navigation

Mariners are advised that No. 24 buoy out of the Fraser River, previously reported aground on the flats north of Sandheads lightship, now is drifting in the Strait of Georgia, according to T. E. Morrison, agent for the Department of Transport. Mariners are cautioned to be on the lookout for this potential danger to navigation.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Wharf Improvements, Horseshoe Bay, B.C.", will be received until 3.00 p.m., Wednesday, February 15, 1950, for wharf reconstruction at Horseshoe Bay, B.C.

Plans, form of contract and specification can be seen and forms of tender obtained at the office of the Chief Engineer, Department of Public Works, Ottawa, at the office of the District Engineer, Post Office Building, New Westminster, B.C., and at the Post Offices at Vancouver, Victoria and Horseshoe Bay, B.C.

Note.—Upon application to the undersigned the Department will supply blue-prints and specification of the work on deposit of a sum of $10.00, in the form of a certified bank cheque payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works. The deposit will be released on the return of the blue-prints and specification within a month from the date of reception of tenders. If not returned within that period the deposit will be forfeited.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on printed forms supplied by the Department and in accordance with conditions set forth therein.

Each tender must be accompanied by a certified cheque on a chartered bank in Canada, payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to 10 per cent of the amount of the tender, or Bearer Bonds of the Dominion of Canada or of the Canadian National Railway Company and its constituent companies, unconditionally guaranteed as to principal and interest by the Dominion of Canada, or the aforementioned bonds and a certified cheque if required to make up an odd amount.

By order,
ROBERT FORTIER,
Acting Secretary.
Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, January 18, 1950.

TENDERS

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and marked on envelope "Tender for Leasing of Government Wharf and Fishing Harbour Floats at Campbell River", will be received up to 12 o'clock noon, Monday, February 13, 1950, for leasing of the said facilities at Campbell River, B.C.

Plans and description of such facilities may be seen on application to the District Marine Agent, Department of Transport, 1002 Wharf Street, Victoria, B.C., from whom any additional information required may be obtained.

The proposed lease in the matter shall be for a period of three years as of March 1, 1950, and shall embody such terms and conditions as may be considered in the public interest.

The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

F. T. COLLINS,
Secretary.
Department of Transport,
Ottawa, Ontario, January 18, 1950.

TENDERS
For Moving Contents of Victoria Public Library

Sealed tenders will be received from insured carriers by the Undersigned up until Noon on Friday, January 27th, 1950, for the above work in accordance with specifications which may be obtained from Miss Margaret Clay, Librarian, Victoria Public Library.

Each tender must be accompanied by a 5% certified deposit cheque made payable to the City Treasurer and must be enclosed in an envelope marked "Tender for Moving."

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

G. F. SHARPE,
City Purchasing Agent.
City Hall
Purchasing Dept.
Jan. 20, 1950.

Penman ADVERTISING

Tug Firm Manager Accused Of Forgery In Nanaimo Court

NANAIMO — Louis Harold Kendler, office manager for the Nanaimo Towing Co., appeared in police court here Monday on three charges of forgery involving sums of money totaling $443.11. The accused was remanded to Jan. 31 for preliminary hearing.

V. G. Meakin, acting on behalf of the towing firm, said in court there was a possibility that 85 other charges amounting to more than $7,000 would be laid against Kendler.

Magistrate Beevor-Potts fixed bail at $7,500, with at least two sureties.

Weather Disrupts Navigational Aids

Reports of a series of lights not burning or undependable owing to present weather conditions were made today by T. E. Morrison, agent for the Department of Transport.

Panther Point lighted buoy, Houston Passage, and Repulse Point gas buoy, Baynes Sound, are not burning. Lights and buoys in the Fraser River are not to be depended upon, and all north side jetty lights are reported not burning.

Furness Line Ship Due Here Thursday

Furness Line's Ss. Pacific Liberty, out of Manchester, England, is due in Victoria Thrusday with 300 tons of general cargo, Cecil Ridout, manager of King Bros. Ltd., shipping agents, reported today.

The Canadian freighter Lake Winnipeg sailed from Cowichan Bay today, after loading lumber, for Vancouver, from where she will sail for Belgium and other continental countries.

Firing Practice

Mariners are advised that firing practice will be carried out by units of the Royal Canadian Navy during daylight hours Wednesday in the Straits of Juan de Fuca, Victoria, Esquimalt area, between Race Rocks and Discovery Island, according to T. E. Morrison, agent for the Department of Transport.

Practice will be conducted within an area enclosed by the following position: (a) 48 degrees 21 minutes north, 123 degrees 32 minutes west; (b) 48 degrees 14 minutes north, 123 degrees 32 minutes west; ((c) 48 degrees 24 minutes north, 123 degrees 15 minutes west, and (d) 48 degrees 17 minutes north, 123 degrees 15 minutes west.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Wharf Reconstruction, Victoria, B.C.", will be received until 3.00 p.m., Wednesday, February 15, 1950, for wharf reconstruction at Victoria, B.C.

Plans, form of contract and specification can be seen and forms of tender obtained at the office of the Chief Engineer, Department of Public Works, Ottawa, at the office of the District Engineer, Post Office Building, New Westminster, B.C., and at the Post Offices at Victoria and Vancouver, B.C.

Note.—Upon application to the undersigned, the Department will supply blue-prints and specification of the work on deposit of a sum of $25.00 in the form of a certified bank cheque payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works. The deposit will be released on the return of the blue-prints and specification within a month from the date of reception of tenders. If not returned within that period the deposit will be forfeited.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on printed forms supplied by the Department and in accordance with conditions set forth therein.

Each tender must be accompanied by a certified cheque on a chartered bank in Canada, payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to 10 per cent of the amount of the tender, or Bearer Bonds of the Dominion of Canada or of the Canadian National Railway Company and its constituent companies, unconditionally guaranteed as to principal and interest by the Dominion of Canada, or the aforementioned bonds and a certified cheque if required to make up an odd amount.

By order,
ROBERT FORTIER,
Acting Secretary.
Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, January 18, 1950.

Rheumatic and Arthritic Pain
New Prescription Available from Druggists

A new prescription is available from druggists for the relief of Rheumatic and Arthritic pain. The prescription is a combination of oils which penetrate the skin barriers—simply dab the oils with a tuft of cotton on the affected parts. Good results have also been reported for the relief of pain due to Sciatica, Lumbago and Neuritis. If you have not already tried this new prescription, ask your druggist for 3 ozs. of Zolvum Oils Concentrated. In severe cases and those with tender skin, it is recommended they also get ½ oz. of Zolvum Ointment which is found very beneficial when massaged into the skin once or twice every 24 hours. Cut this out to remind you or to pass on to a sufferer.

Asthma
Suggestion No. 3

Some asthmatics find that milk causes phlegm—why not avoid drinking milk for a while and see if your attacks are less frequent. It is better to take a Respatone Tablet before you expect an attack and help prevent it—"a stitch in time saves nine." Respatone Tablets are recommended for the relief of asthma, bronchitis, and coughing fits and are available at all drug stores.

Health Department Branch Prevents Medicine Frauds

OTTAWA (CP)—Long absent from the Canadian scene is the brash patent medicine man who toured the countryside peddling bottled cure-alls for everything from heart disease to falling hair.

For three-quarters of a century the Food and Drug Division of the federal Health Department has served as Canada's watchdog to keep the sly operator from being replaced by a more subtle form of swindle.

The division is celebrating the completion of 75 years of work dedicated to assuring that food and drugs used by Canadians are pure and safe, and that they live up to their advertising claims. Today is the final day of a two-day "open house" at the division's Ottawa headquarters.

FIRST IN FIELD

Dr. C. A. Morrell, director and Chief Dominion Analyst, told in an interview how the division works.

Canada, he said, was the first country in the western hemisphere to set up a special branch for such work. Today the scope of this work is probably wider in Canada than anywhere else in the world.

Inspectors in 24 Canadian cities are constantly checking imported foods and drugs to assure they are pure.

Dr. Morrell said the division examines all commercials before they are brought on the CBC. As many as 1,000 a month are scrutinized.

There is no requirement for scrutiny of newspaper advertising before publication, but the ads are carefully checked afterwards. If any claims are found to be false, the advertiser is warned. If he persists, the division undertakes to bring charges in court.

The Food and Drug Act is broad enough to cover such general falsification as misleading impressions or anything likely to create an incorrect idea about a product.

In Canada, for example, it is illegal to publish any advertising about treatment for obesity or such serious diseases as polio, cancer, arteriosclerosis, diabetes and influenza.

USELESS ONES

In general, said Dr. Morrell, the division is interested in anything which might be harmful, providing it is a drug or food or drink. The fact that some drug might be useless doesn't particularly interest the division, unless extravagant claims are made for it.

Normally, about 12 to 15 prosecutions are pending at all times.

One of the most spectacular cases dealt with by the Food and Drug Division was one involving 17,000 cases of tomato juice, many of which were found to contain steel wool.

It took a coast-to-coast campaign to gather up and destroy the adulterated tomato juice before it could do any harm.

Some Veterans Object To Pensions As Not Deserved

OTTAWA (CP)—Without more than a touch of surprise, Canada's pensions commission recently came up against the case of a conscience-stricken theological student.

He had been awarded a war pension because he lost part of a limb in grenade practice overseas. In the midst of postwar university studies, he began to brood. He concluded the accident was his fault, that the state shouldn't have to pay for what he considered his own negligence.

The commission—14 veterans of frontline service—studied the case and his protests and rejected them. They wrote him that he would never have been throwing grenades overseas if he had not volunteered to serve his country anywhere. They said his pension should be continued. They told him not to worry.

The pensions the commissioners have awarded now cost Canada more than $100,000,000 a year and go to nearly 200,000 men, women and children, the maimed, the widowed, the fatherless and the orphaned of two wars, the annual report, just published, shows.

Service Dogs Given Praise For Great Aid To R.C.M.P.

OTTAWA (CP) — Sixteen P.S.D.'s—police service dogs—are doing a big job in tracking down criminals.

The 1948-49 report of the R.C.M.P. describe a half-dozen cases where the dogs were used to help the police get their man.

Wolf, for instance, was a busy P.S.D. He helped police uncover evidence which led to the arrest of two men for the murder of Norman Burgoyne, a Fredericton taxi driver. Wolf also found a girl who had escaped from an inter-provincial home for young women at Coverdale, N.B.

Wolf again was used to track down men suspected of breaking into a Cape Bald, N.B., restaurant. The men—Joseph Richard and Alphee Leblanc—pleaded guilty when confronted with evidence uncovered by the dog.

Wolf was responsible for bringing Frederick Getchal Martin and Gerald Williams to trial for the hold-up of a confectionery store and a taxi driver in Saint John, N.B.

Another dog—Smoky—located a purse containing $105 that Mrs. Annie Lamond of Grantham, Alta., had lost in a field.

ROUGH'S ACHIEVEMENT

The report praises the work of Rough a dog used to track down Charles W. Gollinger and Edwin Hanson, who were charged with the armed robbery of a taxi driver at Calgary.

The reports says:

"Karl Kemmel, taxi driver, was held up by two passengers who attempted to hit him on the head with a length of lead pipe. Kimmel warded off the blow, grabbed the ignition keys and escaped from the taxi, which went into the ditch. No indication of travel following the incident was known.

"Patrol with Rough was dispatched to the scene and Rough was sent casting for scent along the open field and started tracking furiously. As there was a bit of snow at this point it was noticed the dog was working two sets of tracks. At this point the trails came up on an old highway. This road was bare, with only odd patches of hard-packed snow and no visible signs of any trail.

TRACKED FIVE MILES

"The dog continued along this road and after tracking five miles the dog suddenly swerved off the road and headed back into the ditch and started nosing a few bits of paper. By flashlight it could be seen there was writing on the bits of paper. They were gathered up and turned over to the investigation branch, where it was found it was a Selective Service form for employment and was dater the day previous containing the name of Edwin Hanson.

"The dog continued tracking into Calgary. Then at a point about a mile west of the city limits the dog again headed for the ditch. Here is was noticed where snow along the shoulder of the road had been trampled by two different set of footprints.

"These prints ultimately led across the ditch to a small clump of trees whence they turned again out to the road. The dog continued tracking back to the city, where the scent was lost due to difficult tracking conditions. . . .

"A few minutes later it was learned that the Calgary city police had picked up two suspects, one of whom proved to be Hanson and the other a juvenile, Charles Gollinger.

"The subsequently admitted committing the offence.

"It is felt that Rough surpassed himself in this case and cannot be given too much credit as he tracked the whole 10 miles on bare hard surfaced roads at night in sub-zero weather."

Addicts Increase

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Bureau of Narcotics stated Monday there is an upswing in drug addiction among youthful persons in the United States, notably in Chicago, San Francisco, Los Angeles, New Orleans and New York City.

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COLLEGE QUEEN NAMED—Dimple-cheeked Norma Plumb was judged Queen of the Campus at Victoria College Monday. Bob McConechy, Dave Jones, Gordon Stewart and Elmer Matthews seem to approve judges' choice. Contest, sponsored by college newspaper, The Martlet, was feature of afternoon "mixer" dance in main auditorium.

Broken Bolt Causes Saanich Truck Crash

A truck driven on Glanford Avenue by Hervey Miltoneff, View Royal, wound up with $100 damage because of a broken bolt this morning at 11.

A bolt broke in the spring and locked the front wheels, Constables Walter Mycock and Robert Adrian of Saanich police report. The truck went up the bank and rolled over on its side.

U.S. Warship Coming

The U.S. destroyer escort Rombach, commanded by Lieut.-Cmdr. R. G. Williams, U.S.N. (R), will arrive at Esquimalt at 1.30 Saturday afternoon in the course of a training cruise, it was reported today by R.C.N. officials.

Rombach will remain at Esquimalt overnight, sailing again at approximately 9 Sunday morning.

Indian Sentenced

NANAIMO—Five years in the penitentiary and 10 strokes of the paddle was the sentence imposed by Magistrate Lionel Beevor-Potts upon Leslie John, an Indian, who pleaded guilty in police court here to three charges of armed robbery and one of robbery.

John was arrested following the recent holdup of Watson's Grocery.

Constable Arthur Vickers of the Provincial Police told the court that John was known as a "bad Indian" when under the influence of liquor.

Yugoslavs To Vote

BELGRADE (AP) — Yugoslavia's first general election since 1945 will be held Sunday, March 26, a decree published today said. There is little doubt the voting will return to power the Communist "People's Front" of Premier Tito, despite his current quarrel with Moscow over interpretation of Communist theories.

1,000 Pilgrims A Day

VATICAN CITY (Reuter) — Pilgrims have been arriving in Rome at an average of 1,000 a day since the Roman Catholic Holy Year was inaugurated Christmas Eve, Vatican officials announced today. The average is expected to jump to between 10,000 and 20,000 a day by the end of February.

Zither Music At Election Meetings

LONDON (Reuter) — Lionel Fowler, prospective Liberal candidate in Southwark, London, will do his campaigning for next month's general election to the twanging of a zither.

He was inspired by the British film "The Third Man," which featured the zither background piece "The Harry Lime Theme."

The 48-year-old Fowler says he is going to play a record of "The Harry Lime Theme" over a loudspeaker every time he makes a public speech.

He claims he is "the third man" because he represents the "third force"—Liberalism. His opponents are George Isaacs, minister of labor, and a Conservative.

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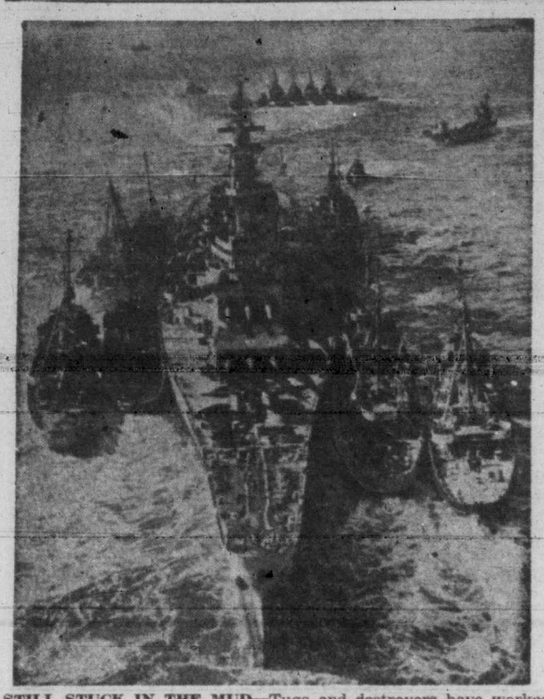

STILL STUCK IN THE MUD—Tugs and destroyers have worked unsuccessfully to free U.S.S. Missouri, only U.S. battleship in active service, which ran aground on a mudbank in Hampton Roads, off Norfolk, Va. Attempts will be made to get her free under her own power during high tides. (NEA Telephoto)

Two Canadians Expelled By Czechs Say Charges False

MUNICH (CP)—Two members of the Canadian legation staff in Prague said today they were expelled from Czechoslovakia on "trumped up charges."

The two men, Sgt. Reginald Danko, clerk-typist, of Toronto and Lauder, Man., and Cpl. J. V. Vanier, 28, of Rochebaucourt, Que., a car driver, came to Munich after being ordered out of Czechoslovakia last Thursday.

They said Monday they hoped to obtain papers permitting them to proceed to Austria. There they plan to await the arrival from Czechoslovakia of Danko's wife and two sons.

The two, who had no diplomatic status, comprised the two-man staff of the air attache of the Prague legation, Group Capt. R. A. Cameron of Oak Lake, Man.

HAD ONLY 12 HOURS

Danko and Vanier were reluctant to talk about the reasons for their expulsion from the Communist-controlled country on 12 hours' notice. "The charges were entirely trumped up," they said.

"The document listing the offical charges was delivered through our superior, who classified as as secret pending further investigation."

A Reuter dispatch from Prague said it was believed Danko had been accused of spying and had been under orders to leave Czechoslovakia country since Jan. 6. The dispatch gave no reason for Vanier's expulsion, beyond saying he is not thought to have been charged with espionage.

(In Ottawa, the External Affairs department said in a statement the men were ousted from the Russian-satellite country on baseless accusations.")

Sgt. Danko charged Czech secret police were watching the house where his wife and two sons, aged 3 and 5, are staying. "The three had to remain behind, but I am sure they will be able to get out without difficulties," he said.

Danko and Vanier came here from Czechoslovakia via Weiden.

Oak Bay Women Drivers In Crash

Cars driven by two women were extensively damaged—more than $200 to each—when they met in collision at 11.15 Monday morning at McNeill Avenue and Oliver Street, Oak Bay police reported. Cars were driven by Mrs. G. M. Bell, 742 St. Patrick Street, going north on Oliver, and Mrs. V. A. Peden, 978 Hampshire Road, proceeding west on McNeill.

Vancouver Man Dies In Houseboat Fire

VANCOUVER (CP) — Gerald Gordon, 50, was fatally burned Monday when fire swept his house-boat on the shore of False Creek here.

Brought from the flimsy cabin, one of a group along the creek, Gordon was pronounced dead on arrival at hospital. Cause of the fire was not immediately ascertained.

Telephone Workers Threaten To Strike

WASHINGTON (AP)—A C.I.O. union threatening a country-wide telephone strike has disclosed plans to jam dial systems and make its strike effective.

The idea is to have the public and fellow union members flood Bell Telephone Company switch boards with calls, should the strike start, in the hope that automatic equipment will break down.

Joseph A. Beirne, president of the Communication Workers of America, outlined the strategy in a letter to C.I.O. president Philip Murray. Beirne told Murray that Bell phone companies are balking at C.W.A.'s wage-pension demands and said a big strike seems inevitable.

"At this writing I see no way to avoid it," Beirne wrote Murray. He said about 100,000 phone workers, including the men who maintain the automatic equipment, are in a position to strike right now and another 150,000 will be ready to strike Feb. 1.

Car Demolishes 40 Feet Of Fence

Police of the area Monday attended many accidents resulting from the snow-covered roads. Damage was not extensive.

City traffic personnel reported that a car being driven west on Fort Street in the noon hour by Colin R. Weatherby, 6249 McCleary Street, Vancouver, went into a skid. The car climbed over the sidewalk on the north side of Fort, knocked out about 20 feet of fence at 1865 Fort and then demolished about 20 feet of the fence at the home of H. Upton, 1915 Duchess Street.

Toll Of Toronto Plant Fire Seven

TORONTO (CP)—Death toll of a basement garment factory fire here last week stood at seven today following the death in hospital of Mrs. Isadore Singer, 27. Her husband was among the six other victims.

Hospital authorities reported the condition of two others remained critical.

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Mostly clear and cold tonight and Wednesday with a few clouds over Saanich peninsula; light northerly winds. Low tonight, 10; high Wednesday, 25.

FOUR STAR FINAL

Today's Sports

Overnight Entries

Fairgrounds

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs:

Susie's Gift 107 — Miss Provo 106
Suzerain 106 — Rosie China 101
Do Do 107 — The Farmer 102
Reed On 109 — Why So Late 102
Spode 104 — Silver's Pride 106
Eternal Gun 112 — Murrey Maid 104
Geramond 114 — Treat 104
Four Thirty 117 — Easy Ace 109
Bernzie 104 — Night Miss 101

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs:

Cloverland Boy 108 — Easy Smoke 111
Elegant Lad 111 — Easy Quero 111
Raydel 106 — Sweet Lee 106
Fair Girl 101 — Giant Image 99
Shockoe 111 — Eldam Prince 111
Tom Comic 102 — Mollie Moe 104
Hustling Count 102 — Cutty Steel 106
Sunny Limited 104 — Foxy Scot 109
Foxy Rose 107 — Mannerful 111

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs:

Lynn Chance 105 — Lucky Marian 115
Why Me More 105 — Best Chance 105
Blue Daze 105 — Fana G 110
Nipigon 110 — Lady Comic 110
Partridge 105 — Quad Le San 105
Fuddy Duddy 100 — Dan Jr. 110
Picabu 100 — Betty P 110
Hildur Mafree 105 — Hyp Guinle 115
Viola Ruth 100 — Paul W 120

FOURTH RACE—Mile and a sixteenth:

Dagette 110 — Reade Castle 112
Marcelle B 108 — Duke Reed 115
Penny Packer 117 — Valdina Perion 114
Lieut. Dan 106 — Marseilles 120
Ermelia 106 — Ruth Ann 105
First Breeze 106 — Kind Marie 99
Micky O 115 — Two Dey Air 120
Hyead 101 — Sky Plane 106
Dusty 120 — Rotate 109

FIFTH RACE—Two furlongs:

Grass Fire 118 — Dr. Sicomo 118
Captain G L 108 — Top Spring 118
King's Hope 113 — Dydamic 118
Reticule 115 — Hi Danny 113
Hikie Dikie 108 — Royal Mustang 113
Orose 115 — Branch Manager 113
Fighting Devil 110 — Bee Cee 103

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs:

Marketing 107 — Best Trick 102
Sgt. Brown 116 — Stoker 120
Miss Banned 109 — Sunbation 103
One Blue 112

SEVENTH RACE—Six furlongs:

Magnet 110 — Clevelander 104
Cotton Joe 108 — Walkie Talkie 113
Don Coventry 111 — Gray Chief 104

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and a sixteenth:

Donna L 100 — Danna Like 110
Easy Spell 115 — Trance Sleeper 114
Security 114 — Darby Doodit 120
Artless 108 — Da Do 112

NINTH RACE—Mile and a sixteenth:

Mary M V 115 — Bosque Fait 106
Ominous 113 — Jolly Gremlin 107
Head Me 112 — Dale Light 101
Pro 113 — Delfeb 111
Khaygram 115 — Sutton Place 115
Deltold 113 — Star Graduate 112
Indian Brook 104 — Zerie 111
Jacopolot 111 — Azalea Trail 104
Valdina Secret 101 — Reno Upstart 115

First post 11.45 a.m.

Santa Anita

FIRST RACE—Three furlongs:

Jiffy Girl 115 — Smudger 118
Uncanny 118 — Yuba Mike 118
Piro Pasha 118 — Lizairder 118
Little Nipper 115 — Lighthouse Boy 118
Jubbulpore 118 — Sugar Sample 118
Free Roll 118 — Red Cord 118
Lord Kildare 118 — Delthorn 118
Nevas Time 118 — Ruddy B 115
Rondutie 115 — Visalia 115

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs:

Verbatim 117 — Castle Hill 117
Berta A 117 — Dreamy Miss 117
Butter Fingers 117 — La. Limited 114
Pables 108 — High Fun 108
Bandoline 117 — Credit Line 117
Scottish Miss 117 — Teal 113
Fast Reward 117 — Evening Throb 117
Doory F 113 — Star Pelly 117

THIRD RACE—Seven furlongs:

Audacious King 115 — Noen 110
April Caper 110 — Bimenark 115
My Sea 115 — Go Lucky 115
Lovley Venus 115 — Mikel Y 110
Super Safe 115 — Play Request 110
Fancy Dam 105 — War Twister 110
Taurus 115 — Bold Rebel 110
Sporran 115 — Yondetefa 115

FOURTH RACE—Mile and a sixteenth:

Happy Reward 114 — Pals Snip 117
Set Time 120 — Bright Scholar 120
K Ration 120 — Castle Oak 115
Sammy Angott 115 — Tom N Jerry 115
Alfa 115 — Corrame 114
Willys Reward 120 — Endswell 111
Arlagain 112 — Pore Boy 114
Sparky Cannon 117 — Strega 115

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs:

Foxie Green 106 — Little Sinner 106
Swing Again 111 — Should Reward 111
Imago 111 — Sea Garden 117
Miss Blue Lee 111 — Fleet Rings 117
Hen Sprig 114

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs:

Owners Choice 118 — Amble In 115
a-Pepwell 118 — Top Turrett 116
Tape Buster 111 — Hi Rum 106
Be Sure Now 118 — a-Speculation 121
First Secrity 109 — a-Entry
Al 109

SEVENTH RACE—One mile:

Miss Request 113 — Blue Border 115
War Trophy 113 — Knockdown 120
Autocrat 111 — Fervent 120
Golden Glory 105 — But Why Not 115

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and a sixteenth:

Wave Length 106 — Mouse Hole 113
Pay Me 116 — Smoke Trail 110
The Man 116 — Jackstraw 119
Brult 114 — Carry Message 110
Whirl Top 103 — Coma 113

First race, 1 p.m.

Fairgrounds Results

First Race—
Aristocrat (McSonical) $50.00 $17.40 $10.80
Lucky Pair (Blanford) — 3.40 5.60
Nebraska Cash (Burns) — — 4.20
Scratched: Silver Sis, Burgoo's Gal, Normrich, Bet Nebraska, Hypothesis, Quick Cash.

Second Race—
Tiny Tidy (Coffman) $54.20 $13.60 $7.80
Woodford Lass (Brooks) — 4.80 3.40
Bounding Ace (Clayton) — — 6.60
Scratched: Mitzi Helen, Comely Rhymer, Starlynne.
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Third Race—
Vero Lumen (Ferraulio) $35.60 $14.80 $8.40
Count Quick (Glisson) — 9.40 6.40
Chockablock (Cook) — — 3.60
Scratched: Dick Manners, Unki K.

Fourth Race—
Clean Slate (McGngle) $21.40 $7.40 $7.20
Hunting Call (Bone) — 13.00 6.40
Soma Lad (Delhuzaye) — — 4.40
Scratched: Denaris, Carter Girl, Fletter, Invercork.

Fifth Race—
War Ruler (Brooks) $15.20 $5.80 $3.60
Eternal Za (Harper) — 7.80 3.80
Cargo (Keene) — — 3.80

Sixth Race—
Illustrate (Taylor) $8.60 $5.00 $3.20
Banovina (Keene) — 4.20 3.60
Grand Barter (Dorsey) — — 3.40

Seventh Race—
Equihaze (Jenkins) $9.00 $4.80 $3.00
Lucky Codine (Brooks) — 7.20 5.20
Miss Mellss (Valdez) — — 4.20

Eighth Race—
Sun Bound (Bright) $13.20 $6.20 $4.00
Little Minn (Glisson) — 7.00 4.00
Samba Step (Clagett) — — 3.40

Santa Anita Results

First Race—
Rado Kid (Zufelt) $33.10 $10.10 $5.00
Major Abbey (Arcaro) — 4.20 3.20
Bamboozler (Volzke) — — 3.60
Scratched: Troy Chief, My Lode Star, Barrator, Addabet.

Second Race—
Cita (Botand) $4.40 $3.00 $2.40
Charbob (Shoemaker) — 3.80 2.80
Hieland Dare (Matthews) — — 3.40
Scratched: Proudly, Mr. Bull, Royal Toddy, Fond Regards.

Third Race—
Cubette (Shoemaker) $6.00 $3.70 $3.00
Reed Patch (Burgin) — 11.80 6.10
My Mimboo (Glisson) — — 5.00
Scratched: Jenover.

Fourth Race—
Be Fearless (Longden) $8.40 $4.20 $3.60
Little Joe (James) — 7.40 4.80
Boomerang Boy (Trent) — — 8.80

Maxim K.O.'s Mills To Win World Light-Heavy Title

LONDON (AP)—Joey Maxim of Cleveland won the world's light-heavyweight championship tonight by knocking out title-holder Freddie Mills of England in the 10th round of their scheduled 15-round bout.

Maxim weighed 174¼, Mills 173.

A capacity crowd of 18,000 in Earl's Court saw the favored American bring back the title to the United States.

Mills won the 175-pound crown in London July 26, 1948, by outpointing Gus Lesnevich of Cliffside Park, N.J., in 15 rounds.

It was Mills' first defence of the title.

The 27-year-old Cleveland scrapper dropped Mills for the full count with a left-hand punch and a right cross in 1.54 of the 10th round.

The 30-year-old Mills sat in the centre of the ring as the timekeeper tolled the count. As the count reached eight, Mills fell sideways to the mat. His handlers dragged him to his corner where he was examined by a doctor before leaving the ring.

Apart from the first round when stocky beetlebrowed Freddie worried Maxim with a flurry of left hooks, the Ohio battler boxed beautifully. The challenger had control the rest of the way as Mills obviously strove for a knockout.

Mills was unable to get in the big blow in the early frames and as a result he was left-jabbed and right-crossed clean out of his title. It was strictly a one-man show.

The Associated Press scorecard showed Maxim leading up to the time of the knockout six rounds to one with two rounds even.

Jackie Robinson Signs 1950 Contract

BROOKLYN (AP) — Jackie Robinson, Brooklyn second baseman, signed a 1950 contract for a sum estimated at between $30,000 and $35,000 today. No figures were announced by club president Branch Rickey.

Robinson, voted the National League's most valuable player after helping the Dodgers win the pennant last year, received an estimated $18,000 in 1949.

The coming campaign will be the 31-year-old negro's fourth with the Dodgers. He batted .342 last season to lead the league.

Wins India Title

MADRAS, India (AP) — Cheered on by a capacity crowd, Gussie Moran, attractive tennis ace from America, swept past Mrs. Heraldo Weiss of Argentina in less than an hour today to win the all-India hardcourt tennis title, 6-0, 6-3, 6-1.

The seventh ranked U.S. star, hitting hard and rushing the net, took the first set in 12 minutes.

Mother Nature Turns Lumberjack

Winter's icy axe brought this tree limb crashing down on an auto and across a street during a severe ice and snow storm at Portland, Ore. The week-long blizzard left 13 inches of ice and snow in Portland and caused the death of 39 persons in Oregon, Washington and northern California.—(NEA Telephoto)

Battle In Senate Over U.S. Naval Command Switch

WASHINGTON (BUP) — The Senate today unanimously confirmed Admiral Forrest P. Sherman as Chief of Naval Operations after a bitter debate over the dismissal of his predecessor, Admiral Louis E. Denfeld.

Confirmation came after Senator Joseph R. McCarthy (R.-Wis.) announced that Denfeld is "resigning" from the job he held up to last October. McCarthy explained that the resignation is a formality to "clear up" legal doubts that the post is vacant.

McCarthy, a Marine Corps veteran of the Second World War, has sparked the Congressional criticism of the Denfeld dismissal.

He said Secretary of Navy Francis P. Matthews, who fired Denfeld, should be impeached because of: (1) "Untruthfulness," (2) "incompetence," 3) "complete disloyalty" to the navy "for which he should be fighting," and (4) his "new and dangerous rule" that "if any officer comes before the Senate and tells the truth he must take the consequences."

None of the Senators who criticized the Denfeld firing voted against the confirmation of Sherman. They all agreed that Sherman is a "man of high character and distinguished achievement."

But they pressed for an investigation of the firing by the Senate Armed Services Committee.

Baby Dies In Fire

SUDBURY, Ont. (CP)—Nine-month-old Gerald Smith burned to death Monday when fire razed a home in suburban Lockerby. Mrs. Gerald Smith and four-year-old Ronny escaped.

British Papers Work Against Labor Return

By RUSSELL JONES

LONDON (BUP)—British voters, if they follow the advice of their favorite newspapers, are a two to one bet to vote Conservative in the Feb. 23 general elections.

But there is no telling if their reading habits will influence their voting.

The vast majority of Britain's most widely-read and influential newspapers are working actively against the return of the Labor Government.

About two-thirds of Britain's 30,000,000 circulation daily and Sunday papers are either Conservative or anti-Labor. Only a tiny fraction of the reading public will be given a neutral view.

The anti-Labor front has such strange bedfellows as the thoughtful Times of London, the Communist Daily Worker, the Liberal News Chronicle and Lord Beaverbrook's Imperialist Daily Express.

The Socialists have behind them only five major papers—two of which their party owns.

There is not a single newspaper printed outside London which advertises itself as pro-Labor, or even anti-Conservative. The influential Manchester Guardian is "advanced Liberal."

PARTISAN PRESS

The British press, whatever the hue, is partisan to a degree rarely encountered in Canada or the U.S. The tabloid Daily Mirror, with the world's largest daily circulation (more than 4,000,000) is diametrically opposed to any Conservative policy, and the Daily Express, also with more than 4,000,000 readers, is as vehemently against the Socialists.

Generally speaking, the "national papers"—those which are distributed throughout the country—can be broken down into four classes: The pro-Labor, the Conservative, the normally independent and the normally Liberal.

Both the latter groups have aligned themselves against the Socialists for the coming election, but do not hesitate to criticize the Conservatives.

Supporting the government are the party-owned Daily Herald (2,000,000 circulation), The Sunday "People" (4,750,000), and anti-Conservative Daily Mirror, the co-operative "Reynolds News" (750,000) and the Sunday Pictorial (4,000,000).

LARGEST INDEPENDENT

The news Britons get depends often on which paper they read.

The largest paper in the world, the Sunday News of the World (almost 9,000,000 circulation), to a large extent ignores politics of all brands. It is classed as independent.

The Daily Worker has called for the "destruction" of the Conservatives, but condemns the Socialists as "class traitors." Communist votes will come from those who otherwise might vote Labor.

The Times, and its closest competitor as the most influential of British newspapers, the Manchester Guardian, and the Telegraph have urged the election of the Conservatives on the premise the Labor government has accomplished its reformation and the time has come to return to a less radical form of government.

Whole Of Brink's Staff Questioned

BOSTON (BUP)—All of Brink's Inc. employees in Boston will be brought in for "systematic questioning" in connection with last Thursday's $1,500,000 hold-up of the money transportation firm, police announced today.

The announcement followed closely seizure of a $1,910 payroll in the ultra-exclusive Union Club 25 minutes after it was delivered by a Brink's armored truck.

Trio To Face Ten Conspiracy Counts

Commissioner John Shirras of the B.C. Police headquarters here confirmed this afternoon that arrests had been ordered of three Doukhobor leaders in British Columbia, including Michael "The Archangel" Verigin and Joe Podvinikoff, both of the Hilliers Doukhobor colony near Nanaimo.

The third Doukhobor to be arrested is John Lebedoff. He lives at Krestova near Grand Forks.

Admitting the arrests had been ordered Commissioner Shirras indicated the warrants would be served just as soon as officers could reach the three. Snow on the highways may forestall the arrests.

In Vancouver Angelo Branca, special prosecutor, reported that the three would face a total of 10 charges. The charges follow two years of investigation of violence by B.C. Police officers.

The violence has included burnings of schools, of other public buildings, dynamiting, and other destruction. The bill for damage during the past 40 years is said to be $1,000,000.

The three are charged with conspiring among themselves, and with others, to create illwill, discontent, dissatisfaction and hatred among Doukhobors; with encouraging them to refuse to send their children to school; and with encouraging and agreeing to adultery and sharing husbands and wives.

Verigin also is charged with causing an explosion in connection with the dynamiting of a bridge at Brilliant, B.C., on May 19, 1947. He also is charged with wilfully setting fire to the Brilliant Community Hall on June 29, 1946, and with conspiring with others to set fire to the hall.

Lebedoff is charged with conspiracy to burn several buildings, including schools at Blueberry and Glade.

Four others are named in the charge of conspiring to create illwill.

Jail, Paddle For $6

NANAIMO (CP)—A $6 robbery will cost Leslie John five years of freedom. In addition he is to receive 10 strokes of the paddle.

He was convicted of the robbery of Harry Watson, a store owner of Five Acres, near here.

Mainland Teen-Agers Escape Detention

VANCOUVER (CP)—Two teen-aged youths who escaped from the juvenile detention home here today are believed to have been furnished with smuggled hacksaws.

Police said they had sawed through a bar in an upper-floor window early today.

Five other youths who escaped Monday night from the Boys' Industrial School at Coquitlam had only a few hours of freedom. Two were recaptured in North Burnaby, and the other three at Albion, B.C., in a stolen truck.

Today's Final Prices On Vancouver Market

(By Hagar Investments Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
OILS—		
Anaconda	8	9⅛
Anglo-Canadian	425	430
A.P. Con.	23	—
Atlantic	150	152
British Dominion	22	24
C. and E. Corp.	760	—
Calmont	50	52
Central Leduc	137	140
Commonwealth	132	—
Dalhousie	40	42
East Leduc	27	—
Federated Pete.	255	263
Foothills	—	360
General Pete.	116	122
Do. A	120	—
Globe Oil	61	64
Hargal	13¾	13½
Del Rio	61	62
Highwood Sarcee	6½	—
Home Oil	1200	1225
Leduc West	—	80
McDougall Segur	11	12
Mercury	—	10
Model Oil	32	—
Okalta	197	200
Pacific Pete.	450	460
Princess	38	39
Royal Canadian	5½	6
Royalite	925	945
Superior	45½	46
Vanalta	—	21½
Vulcan	22	—
Pan West	21	22
MINES—		
Bayonne Cons.	3½	5
Bralorne	950	—
Bridge River Con.	2½	—
B.R. (1935)	6	—
Canuse Caribou	9	9½
Cariboo Gold	125	135
Congress	15	—
Cyrunl Gold	35	40
George Copper	5	—
Golconda	28½	35
Grandview	18	—
Grull Wihksne	2¼	—
Hedley Mascot	25	27
Highland Belle	60	63
Island Mountain	118	120
Kootenay Belle	30½	35
Pacific Nickel	18	19
P.E. Gold	5	6
Pioneer Gold	315	325
Premier Border	2½	3¾
Privateer	12¾	—
Quatsino Copper	6	—
Red Hawke	1½	2¼
Reeves McDonald	245	250
Sheep Creek	113	117
Silbak Premier	38	39
Silver Ridge	5¾	—
Silver Standard	42	45
Surf Inlet Gold	—	4
Taku River	13	—
Taylor Bridge	40	—
Utica	5	6
Vananda	11½	—
Wellington	1½	2½
INDUSTRIALS—		
B.C. Forest Products	275	300
B.C. Turf	55	60
Burrard Drydock A	730	—
Canadian Collieries	345	—
Canadian Western Lumber	350	3⅝
Capital Estates	1475	1600
Coast Breweries	350	355
H. R. MacMillan A	900	975
Do. B	775	800
Pacific Coyle	—	60
Powell River	4350	4400
Sun Publishing	1800	—
Westminster Paper A	850	900
Do. B	3⅝	360

Convict U.S. Youth In Hotel Killing Of Montreal Executive

NEW YORK (CP)—Ralph Edward Barrows, 20, of Grand Rapids, Mich., today was convicted of first-degree manslaughter in the hotel-room killing of Colin Cameron Mackellar, Montreal textile executive.

Judge Saul S. Streit set Feb 15 for sentencing. Harold Birns, assistant district-attorney, said Barrows, as a second offender, faces a possible sentence of 10 to 40 years.

The all-male jury deliberating the case, earlier requested Judge Saul S. Streit to re-read part of his charge defining manslaughter in the first and second degrees.

The jury, which started deliberations at 11.33 a.m., was read the desired portions of the charge defining the crimes of manslaughter in the first and second degrees and then returned to its room.

The State charged that Barrows, six-foot former high school football player, killed Mackellar in his Canadian Club suite on the 19th floor of the Waldorf Astoria Hotel Nov. 5, 1948, and then robbed him. The defence maintained that the youth was lured to the hotel room by Mackellar for immoral purposes.

Too Much For Cleo

Dr. Carl Pleuger pauses after completing "Operation Bottle" on Cleo, the Cincinnati Zoo's bottle and stone swallowing crocodile. On the towel in foreground are some of the six bottles, 30 stones and assorted sundries removed from Cleo.—(NEA Telephoto)

RUSTY RILEY — **By Frank Godwin**